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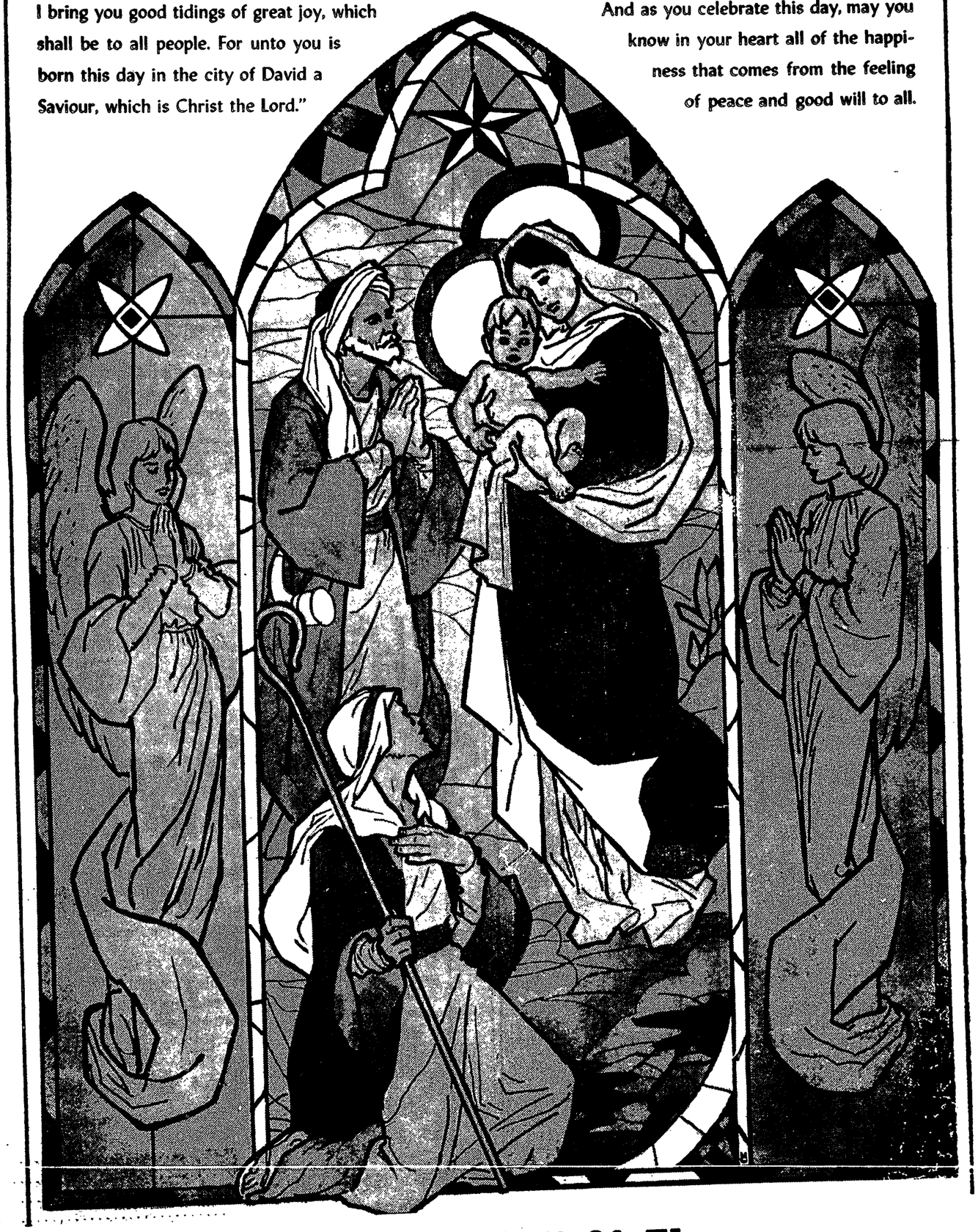
Christmas Greetings

"And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord."

Let the glorious Christmas story be heard again...

And as you celebrate this day, may you know in your heart all of the happiness that comes from the feeling of peace and good will to all.



From The Staff Of The

HANCOCK COUNTY EAGLE

...cial, Special Delivery

Susan Lake

The colored lights lined the ...ding to everything that ...friendly, Christmas glow. ...he air smelled faintly of ...ences and pines. Children ...ed as they hurried homeward ...a long day of play. Their ...ories expressed the feeling ...nticipation of that long- await... Christmas. As they ran gaily ...they paid little heed to Mr. ...kinson, the postman, who was ...aking his last Holiday deliveries.

Yet, in the midst of such Christmas spirit, Mr. Jackson was neither merry nor gay. His attitude toward Christmas was not unlike that of the fabled Scrooge. His true hope and expectation of Christmas had been crushed when the last mail train had chugged slowly out of the station leaving behind a sorrowful, old man with no long-awaited letter from his only son overseas.

Mr. Jackson passed one home after another grudingly putting into each mail box batches of Christmas cards. The homes, which were gaily decorated with Christmas green, made him think of his own home with its bleak, bare windows staring out at him as if begging for a bit of Christmas cheer. No, he thought sadly, there would be no Christmas at his house. There would not even be a tree at the window or a turkey in the stove. Yet, he knew how happy Christmas could be. He remembered when his wife was still alive and his son was home. What fun they had had together. Well, that was all gone—forever. There was no wife to greet him at the door, and his son had not so much as sent him a Christmas card.

He trudged doggedly on picking his way precariously over the slippery ice-covered side-walk muttering to himself, "These blasted Christmas cards! Who ever thought of such a foolish idea? Christmas cards, indeed! Didn't anyone think of the postman whose duty it was to deliver them? Of course not, the inconsiderate fools!"

Finally, delivering the last card he made his way home. He opened the door and dropped to the sofa with weary relief. He must have fallen asleep, for the next thing he knew he was being rudely awakened by a loud persistent knocking at the door.

Upon opening the door he stared out at a smiling young man.

"Yes, and what do you want?" he questioned. Then added bitterly, "I thought everyone was at home with his family."

"I suppose they are, Mr. Jackson," he answered, "in fact, that's where I'm headed after I give you this letter."

"Letter," cried Mr. Jackson in utter surprise.

Yes, letter," laughed the young man, "You know I work at the Post Office and today I was staying late helping to settle the last Christmas business when I saw this letter marked SPECIAL DELIVERY. The delivery boy had gone so I brought it over myself

"You walked here, way across town, on Christmas Eve to give me this letter?" asked the bewildered Mr. Jackson.

"Why, it's the Christmas spirit, sir," cried the young man who was turning to leave. "Good night, Mr. Jackson, and Merry Christmas."

He walked away leaving behind him an excited Mr. Jackson feverlishly opening the letter and reading the contents slowly and aloud. "Will be home for Christmas, your son, Al."

Slowly Mr. Jackson turned and in that brief moment the whole true meaning of Christmas seemed to light his face as he called after the receding figure of the man, "Thank you and Merry Christmas."

SJA Sea Sprite

HOME AGENT'S NOTES

by

IDA LAURA GARRAWAY
Home Demonstration Agent
Hancock County

As much a part of Christmas Holiday Season as carols, gay packages around beautifully decorated trees, and a spirit of giving and good will are festive tables of holiday treats.

This column will give you recipes for several "treats" you may find to your liking. A mimeographed leaflet giving a number of holiday recipes is available at your home agent's office.

JELLIED AMBROSIA SALAD

1 envelope unflavored gelatine
¼ cup cold water.
¼ cup boiling water
2 tablespoons sugar
1¼ cups fresh orange juice
2 table spoons fresh lemon juice
3 medium oranges
1 large banana
3 tablespoons grated or shredded cocoanut

Soften gelatin in cold water. Dissolve in boiling water. Add sugar and stir until completely dissolved. Add orange juice. Cool. Peel oranges and cut into sections. Peel and slice bananas. When orange mixture is sirupy, fold in fruit and cocoanut. Pour into a 3 cup mold or 4 individual molds and chill until firm. Serve garnished with orange sections and shredded cocoanut. Yield: 4 servings.

CHEESE BITS

Tangy cheese 6 ounces
1 1|3 cup sifted flour
¼ pound butter (1 stick)
Season to taste with pepper

Toll as refrigerator cookies. Garnish with chopped pecans. Bake 375 degrees F. Serve with salad.

MAYONNAISE QUICK SAUCE

Mix ¾ cup mayonnaise with ¼ cup milk. Heat this together slightly but do not boil. Pour over vegetables as broccoli and asparagus. It's delicious over steam-cabbage, too.

ORANGE-DATE-NUT CAKE

1 cup nuts, slivered fine
2 cups sugar
1½ cup buttermilk
1 teaspoon soda
1 cup shortening
4 cups flour (sifted)
4 eggs beaten slightly
1 [illegible] cup [illegible] juice
(Bring to [illegible] and pour over cake: 1 cup [illegible] juice 2 cups sugar and 2 tablespoons orange rind, grated.)

Cream butter and sugar. Sift flour and soda together two or three times; take about one cup of the flour mixture and work it in well with the nuts and dates. Add lightly beaten eggs to creamed shortening and sugar. Mix from there on as you would any other cake. Bake in a tube cake pan for one and one half hours at 250 degrees.

Put wax paper in bottom of cake pan. When cake is removed from the oven, pour a mixture of the 1 cup of orange juice, 2 cups of sugar and three tablespoons orange rind that has been heated to boiling over the cake while still in the pan. Let stand until all is absorbed.

This cake ages well and keeps its moist quality for days—weeks, in fact if carefully covered.

COUNTIES SPLIT $750,921 FOREST PROFITS

Twenty-three Mississippi counties will share $750,921 gross receipts of the Mississippi National Forests for the fiscal year 1957, which ended June 30. Timber sales accounted for 79 percent of the income, with mineral leases second. *Franklin County, in Southwest* Mississippi, will receive the greatest amount $112,309. Counties are required by law to spend the money for public schools and roads.

Greetings

We'd like to sing out our thanks to you for your loyal patronage and to wish you a holiday full of old-fashioned warmth, merriment and much good fellowship.

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Season's
BEST WISHES
To all our loyal friends and patrons we send this Holiday greeting with the wish that you enjoy all the delights of this festive season.

..Stevenson's..

Christmas Greetings

Christmas is a happy season of giving and receiving, of good times and good cheer. Here's wishing you all its pleasures.

Christmas is a holy season, a time to worship and rejoice. May its deepest spiritual meaning bring you peace and joy.

Cue Oil Company, Inc.
Bay St. Louis, Miss.

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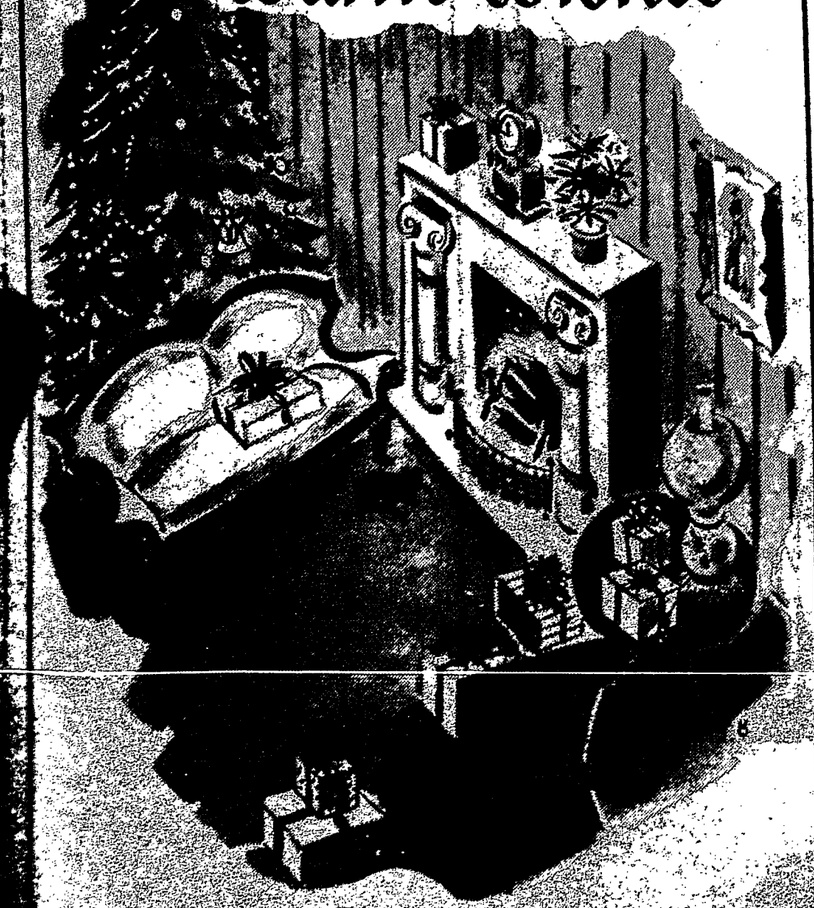

The scene is set for Christmas... enter laughter and love, joy and good cheer. To your happy holiday, we'd like to add our warmest wishes, our most sincere thanks for the opportunity of serving you. Your patronage is truly appreciated... we'll do our best to deserve it always...

HOTEL REED

With sincere appreciation of your patronage and friendship, we are happy to wish you every joy of the Holiday Season.

BENNETT'S BAR

LOYAL SERVICE

How often have you noticed employees of Mississippi Power Company wearing this emblem? Quite often, no doubt, because more than 450 of our employees having more than a 5-year service record are now wearing these emblems.

For more than a quarter of a century now we have endeavored constantly to provide our customers with dependable electrical service. We are confident that we have achieved that goal even though we continue to strive for further improvements. We realize that without the loyal and efficient service of our more than 650 skilled men and women we could not provide dependable electric service to our customers. Mississippi Power Company is proud of its employees and their records. This year 129 employees received new service award emblems ranging from 5 to 40 years.

Throughout our company our active employees' records of service are as follows:

40 years and over	5 employees
35 to 40 years	11 employees
30 to 35 years	44 employees
25 to 30 years	25 employees
20 to 25 years	39 employees
15 to 20 years	55 employees
10 to 15 years	104 employees
5 to 10 years	197 employees

The skills of these men and women cannot be measured in dollars and cents. But to our customers they mean better living electrically — at the lowest possible cost, and a united team working diligently and continuously for the betterment of our State and its people.

MISSISSIPPI POWER COMPANY

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...report card results are ...ant factor in determin... ...dates for class officers, ...elections took place ... second six-weeks. Fo... ...over class activities ...President Judy Burn assist... ...President Susan Lake, ...Secretary Sheila Sturdivant, and Treasurer Alice del Carman.

Mr. Mary Jean, homeroom teacher remarked, "This year's class has surprised all by being the first Freshman group to win the Halloween Spirit Award and by displaying unusual athletic ability in the Volleyball Intramurals. They possess a keen sense of loyalty and teamwork, as well as enthusiasm."

—SJA SEA SPRITE

CHRISTMAS BELONGS TO ALL AGES, TO ALL PEOPLE EVERYWHERE

Is it true, as they say, that Christmas belongs to the children?

Christmas is indeed a time when hearts must be young but it is not only the child who can know and share the love and faith and hope that brightens the heart of Christmas time.

Christmas is a great spiritual occasion and the atmosphere of excitement and anticipation that permeates the world of the young has a deeper, more significant counterpart in the world of the older generation. The hard-boiled, the cynical and the disbelievers cannot enter into th spirit of Chrisimas. Their hearts are too heavy, too filled with guilt and inner fears, and they close their eyes to all but the material aspects of the holiday observance. But there are those at all ages whose heart becomes filled with the wondrous glory of the occasion, who see beyond the glitter and foil and tinsel and who enter with the faith of a little child into the realm of the spirit known as Christmas. For all these, there is joy and peace and happiness.

Belongs To All

Christmas belongs only to the children? Christmas belongs to all. It is ours to share, to the fullest measure. And, if the truth be known, we elders have a much greater share in the holiday than our children. To them, Christmas is brigh lights and Santa Claus and snow and tinsel on the tree, and toys and fruits and good things to eat, and the mere acts of giving and receiving. Have you ever considered the fact that we share in all these aspects of the holiday—in addition to the deeper, truer meaning of Christmas, and the most important part, which the very young heart is yet unable to understand or comprehend?

Chrismas belongs to the children No, Christmas is ours. A part of the holiday, a bright and shiny part, belongs to the children. But they must grow in years and faith and wisdom before they can really share in the whole and complete spirit of Christmas.

DROP-OUT RATE TOO HIGH

At a time when the nation is crying for more trained brainpower, it is distressing to hear Mississippi has an unusually high rate among pupils who drop out of school. The Children's Code Commission recently reported on results of a survey made of 782 children who entered the first grad in five Mississippi towns in 1940, normally, they would have graduated in 1952, but only 286 received diplomas. The national average for graduation is 50 per cent of those entering. Reasons for drop-outs included marriage, military service, employment, school difficulties and ill health. Military service should not be a reason for quitting school. Military authorities want thinking manpower, and they prefer the youth to complete his classroom work before reporting for duty. The best bit of advice for a youngster these days is to learn to think.

NOW'S THE TIME TO SET UP PLANS ON WEED CURBS

Since 1958 has been designated weed control year on all grasses and weeds that chemicals have been selected for, it will pay to study your farm to see what weeds infests crops and pastures, also, the different kinds of equipment, and decide what fits your needs and make plans to control them with chemicals and proper equipment. Four major weeds that must be controlled in pastures are dock, bitter weed, thistle and cypress weed. Wild onion is one of the major pests in dairy grazing, but they are hard to kill. Of these 4-D will kill all except the cypress weed, and while it will not kill the onions, it will knock them down and out of the way of grazing cattle.

Roll Of Honor

Meeting recognition on S. J. A's Roll of Honor are the following grammar and high school students. Names followed by asterisks indicate Alpha Club members.

12TH GRADE

Joann Benigno*, Brenda Byrne*, Josie Compretta*, Elva Jones, Kathy Joyce, Margaret O'Connor*.

11TH GRADE

Linda French*, Mary Kay Garst*.

10TH GRADE

Patty Babin, Georgia Byrne*, Judy Copponex*, Judy Gamard, Sharron Grant*, Ann Homes*, Joan Hubbard, Delta Jacobi*, Jerry Ladner*, Gaynel Lagasse*, Margaret Moreau*, Judy Raymond*, Mary Dudley Roger*, Sheila Russell.

9TH GRADE

Judy Brun*, Jerelyn David, Sheila Gottschalk, Nancy Gray*, Susan Lake*, Sheila Sturdivant.

8TH GRADE

Tilcia Sanchez, Cassie Rhodes, Dianne Griffon, Laurie Kiefer, Linda Mazarakis, Margo Jacobi, Mary Joe Krieger.

7TH GRADE

Tuckell Bacland, Virgin Benigno, Anita Giani, Mary Lee Herlihy, Peggy Lamb, Lynn Prosser, Karen Sintes, Dianne Taylor.

6TH GRADE

Sheila Arnold, Helen Biehl, Marian Blaize, Elaine Davis, Vickie Jacobi, Elaine Miller, Peggy Monti, Linda Ann Munch, Patricia Morris, Mary Ann Reeves, Susan Rhodes, Cheryl Seuzeneau.

5TH GRADE

Peggy McCollister, Janice Beal, Dianne Carver, Ellen Colson, Suzette Brown, Melva Luke, Katherine Byrne, Dorcel Russell.

4TH GRADE

Constance Elizabeth Alonzo, Caylynn Asher, Sue Ann Buehler, Meredith Bus, Paula Favre, Joanne Fry, Marsha Griffen, Mary De Haro, Erin Heitzmann, Gail Koch, Mary Toni Ladner, Mary Margaret Lafontaine, Chyrl Ming, Mary Elizabeth Pagano, Caroline Peterson, Judy Peterson, Maureen Quigley, Dale Russell, Kathlene Scafidi.

3RD GRADE

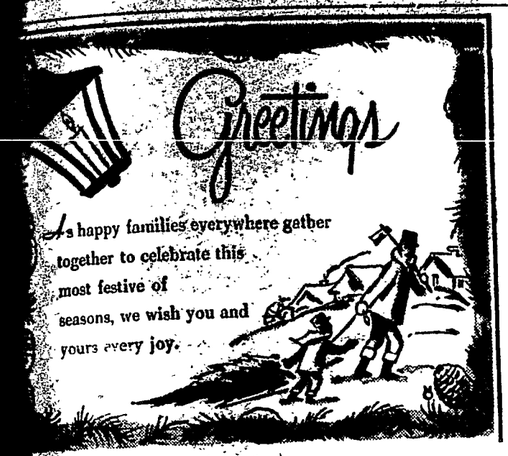
Brenda Artigues, Mary Ann Becker, Judy Bres, Mary De Blanc, Linda Koch, Mary Lagarde, Marsha Lynch, Jeanie McCollister, Mimi Monti, Susan Ryan, Kathy Sess, Vallon Seuzeneau, Craig Johnson, Pat Murphy, Billie Schumski.

2-B GRADE

Mary Gottschalk, Lisa Ann Monti, Michael Ryan, Beverly Stechmann, [illegible]

2-A GRADE

Julie [illegible], Sharon Lafont[illegible], Lester Trahan, Phyllis Seuzeneau, Joe, [illegible]SJA.



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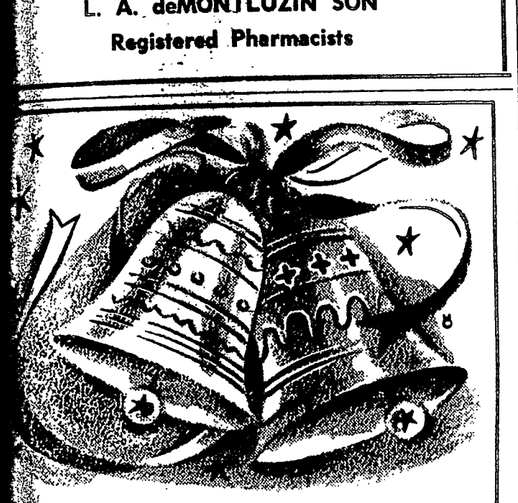

GREETINGS

In the best tradition of the season and in its warmest spirit, we extend to you and yours sincere wishes for a Yuletide aglow with good cheer.

LEGION AND GULF THEATRES
Gulfport, Miss.

Best Wishes

In the spirit of the first Noel, we extend to all our friends our best wishes for a Christmas rich in the blessings of peace and good will, love and happiness.

ST. JOSEPH ACADEMY

ED. and VIOLETTE ARCENEAUX

CLAIBORNE J. LADNER
Tax Assessor

At this joyous season, we take great pleasure in thanking you for your loyal patronage and in wishing you and your family a very Merry Christmas!

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Highway 90
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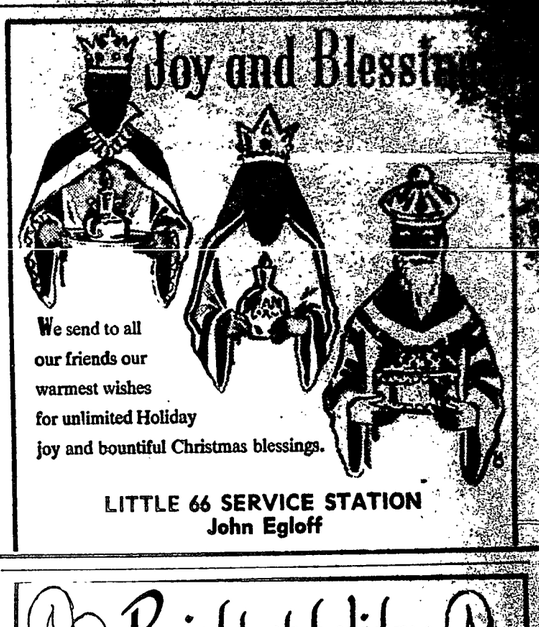

We send to all our friends our warmest wishes for unlimited Holiday joy and bountiful Christmas blessings.

LITTLE 66 SERVICE STATION
John Egloff

For everyone, we wish a Christmas Season glowing with good cheer, enduring friendships and cherished memories.

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Merry Christmas

Christmas is for everybody . . . let every heart be young and joyful. We join Santa in sending to you the cheeriest greetings of the holiday season. Here's hoping you'll have a generous share of all the things that belong to Christmas . . . lots of laughter and singing, gifts and good wishes, fun and feasting, love and fellowship, peace and good will.

COAST ELECTRIC POWER ASSOCIATION
"OWNED BY THOSE IT SERVES"

In the true Christmas spirit of joy and good will, we are happy to greet all our friends and wish everyone a glorious Holiday Season.

[illegible], Clerk of Courts

We take pleasure in thanking you for your patronage and in wishing you a holiday complete with all the "trimmings" . . . love and friendship . . . good health and good cheer!

BAY READY MIX CONCRETE
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Orr

The State Plant Board maintains inspection stations at the Mississippi River bridges at Greenville, Vicksburg and Natchez to intercept any bollworms that might try to sneak through in cotton picked by tourists or through regular commerce of cottonseed. To date Mississippi has kept its fields free of the pest except for a slight outbreak this year in Walthall County—right across the line from Louisiana's Washington Parish.

Walthall county has been quarantined ... factors: 1. our inspection stations along the river, and 2. the fact that most of our planting seed are grown right in the state where there is a healthy absence of Mr. B. Worm.

But—in 1958 Mississippi farmers are forced to look to the horizons for much of their planting seed—and the seed control officials are plainly worried. They fear, for instance, that if we aren't careful, bollworms may crash the river boundary in Jan. when the stations are normally closed. Or, too, they feel there is a possibility that cottonseed may enter the state from the north crossing the river at Memphis where no inspection stations operate.

At any rate, that is the problem, and Commissioner Corley cautions farmers and seed dealers this year as follows:

(1) Refuse to buy seed from any source unless the origin is absolutely known and from a worm free area.

(2) Refuse to buy from dealers unless the origin of the seed is properly indicated.

(3) Do not buy from itinerant peddlers of cottonseed under any circumstances.

(4) Notify the state department of agriculture of any vehicle carrying cottonseed that does not have proper identification, including place of origin of seed.

New Policies Adopted by MEC Economic Council, Field of Education

New policies adopted by Mississippi Economic Council in the field of education would give the state a well-balanced system of public schools, Morris Lewis, Jr., chairman of the MEC education committee, believes.

Mr. Lewis said the policies adopted at the recent board meeting, deal with three basic phases of the public school system, including electing school boards, determining teacher pay, and taxation for support of the schools.

While the Board approved the "third factor" in determining teacher pay, it also recommended ... teachers by ... a salary of a nine months school term ... the eight months minimum term. This would amount to a 12½ per cent increase in minimum salary.

Here is how the Council's "third factor" system would work:

All teachers for an initial certificate of Type A or higher would take an appropriate examination to be administered by the state department of education; additional factors other than training and experience would be considered in determining above minimum pay scales.

There would be two state funds for teachers' salaries, one to provide the minimum pay and the other to be used in the supplement for the additional factors.

The supplement fund for superior teachers would be paid according to procedures developed by local school boards and approved by the state department of education.

On the policy making side of the school program, the Council suggests all members of county school boards be selected by voters from the county at large outside the municipal separate school district, with one member residing in each beat. If one or more beats should lie wholly within the boundary of a municipal separate school district, such beats would not have representation on the county school board. But for each such beat, a person would be elected who resides in that part of the county outside the separate district.

Also, the EC policy calls for the abolition of the office of county superintendent of education and county boards of education in counties without a county-wide district. At present, this would effect only 13 counties, as 69 counties have county-wide districts.

In these 69 counties, the county superintendent has direct administration over schools. In the counties without a county-wide district, the administration is under a municipal separate or consolidated school district, leaving the county superintendent and county school board with few or no duties.

On the taxation side, the Council believes that legislation should be passed requiring county boards of supervisors to levy taxes for funds sufficient for school board budgets, if such levies are within ...

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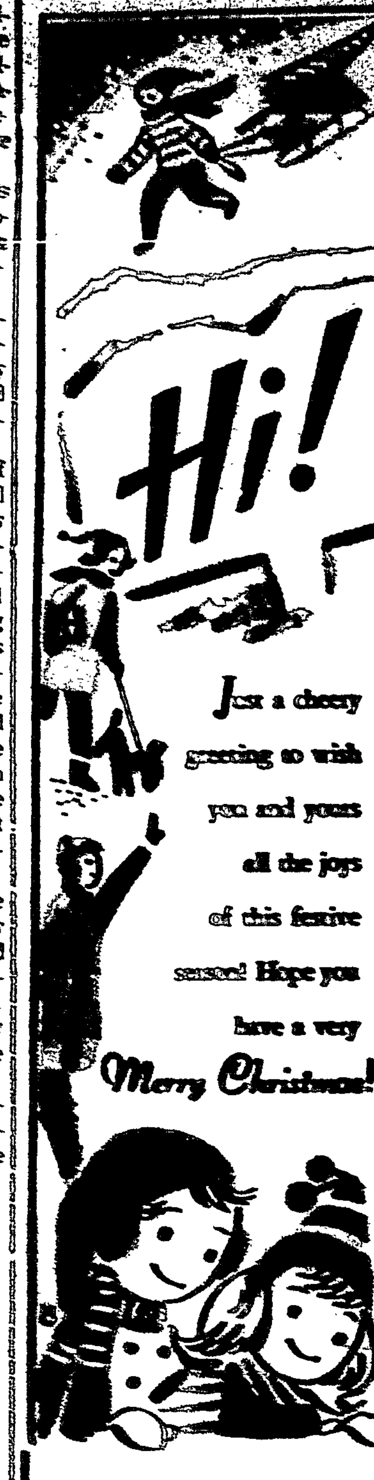

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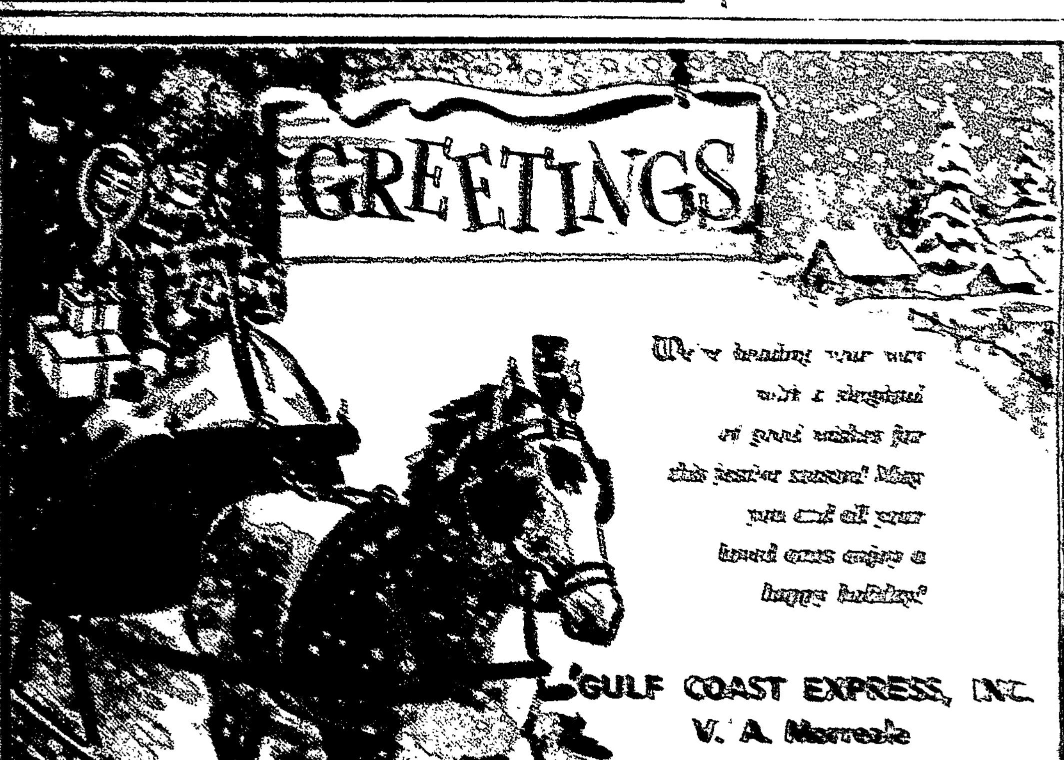

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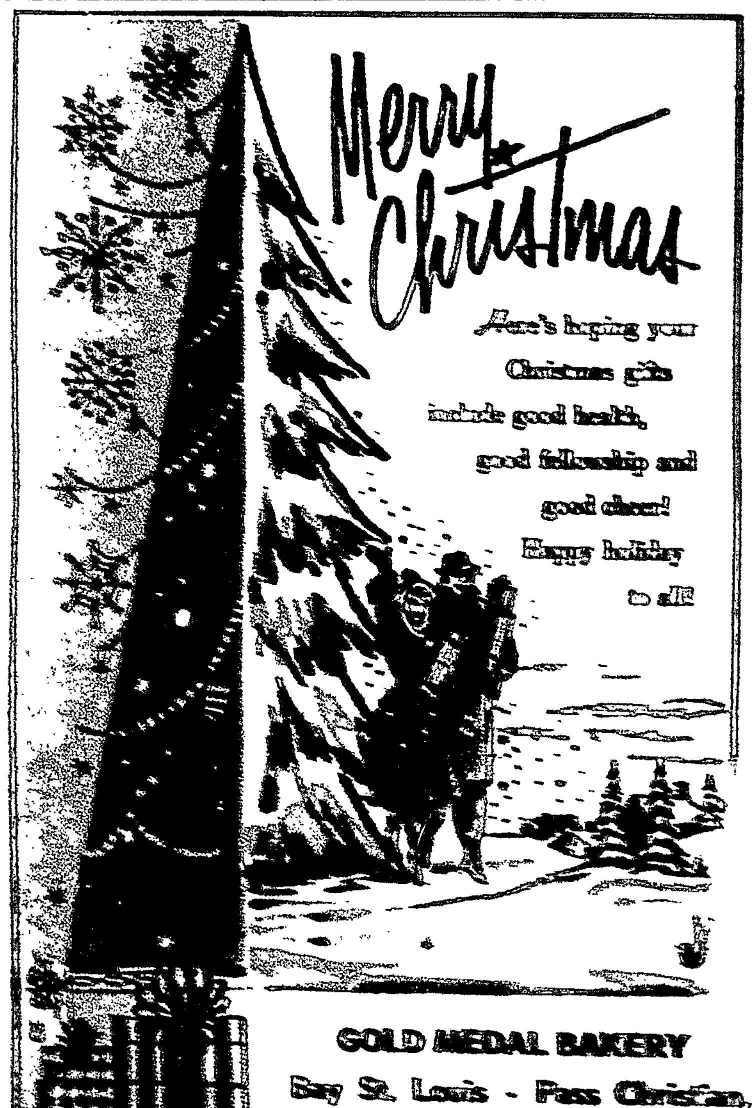

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Many winding and friction-drive toys are limited in their use and are not recommended for children. On the other hand, blocks, logs and other such toys will help develop a child's creativity.

If you choose a doll as a gift, be sure it is durable. Check the arms to see that they will bend easily. Also see that the fingers are not spread out so that it is difficult to dress the doll.

Make Clothes Simple

Doll clothes should be attractive, yet made so the child can manage them herself. They should be open down either the front or the back and fasten with snaps, large buttons or ties.

The construction and material used in toys is also important. Since hard plastics break easily, soft plastics, metal and wood are better for toys. Inspect metal toys carfully to be sure there are no sharp edges.

CHRISTMAS TREE CARE HALTS FIRE HAZARDS

You wouldn't build a fire on the living room floor, but an improperly decorated Christmas tree amounts to the same thing. Don't invite Santa to come to your house on a fire engine... follow these precautions in Christmas tree lighting and decorating.

Choose a small tree, rather than a large one.

Store the tree outdoors until a day or two before Christmas.

When the tree is brought into the house, stand it in water and set it in a cool part of the house, away from radiators, heaters and fireplaces. Don't allow it to block an exit.

Check Carefully

Be sure every lighting set and electric cord you use is in good condition—not worn or frayed wires, no loose sockets.

When you buy new sets or cords, look for the approved Underwriters' Label. The ones that bear it have passed tests for fire and shock hazards.

Provide a switch some distance from the tree for turning tree lights on and off.

Ornaments should be made of fireproof material, metal or glass.

Never set up electric trains under the tree.

Don't let gift wrappings pile up under the tree.

Don't leave tree light burning when no one is home.

From time to time, check needles near the lights to see if they have started to turn brown.

When needles start to fall, take the tree down and discard it out doors.

10 STATE YOUTHS NATIONAL WINNERS

Ten Mississippi 4-H Club boys and girls have been named national project achievement winners of college scholarships or trips. They will receive special recognition and their awards at the 34th annual National 4-H Club Congress now in Chicago. The Hamilton scholarship valued at $1,000 which went to Charles Dismukes of Kilmichael, and a $300 scholarship presented by Alpha Gamma Rho, a national agricultural fraternity, to Kenneth Boutwell of Newton. Other national 4-H winners are Catherine Harrington of Mattson, electric; Howard Breland, of Petal, entomology; Sylvia Smith of Decatur, foods preparation; William Earl Phillips of Amory, forestry; Patty Down of Oxford, girls home economics; Charles Pickering of Taylorsville, leadership; Don Willis of Mendenhall, safety and Don Simpson of Houston, soil and water conservation.

— UNDERWOOD BLACK TYPEWRITER RIBBONS NOW AT THE 'EAGLE" OFFICE

AT STATE MARCH OF DIMES MEET — The 20th Anniversary of the March of Dimes was observed at a state-wide meeting of members of the State Advisory Committee and the Teens Against Polio Cabinet in Jackson Tuesday at the Heidelberg Hotel. George P. Voss, director of chapters for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, was featured speaker at the luncheon meeting. Seated, left, is Mrs. J. P. Coleman, wife of Mississippi's governor, with the state MOD chairman of 20 years standing, seated right, Dr. Felix J. Underwood. Standing, Voss offers some of the anniversary cake to tiny polio victim, Jimmie Keith Middleton, of Jackson, being held by Owen Cooper, of Yazoo City, associate state MOD chairman.

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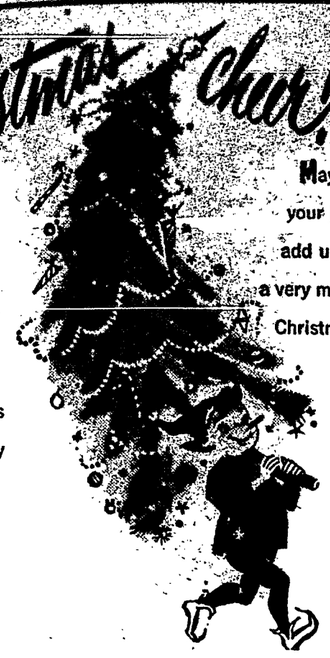

Christmas Cheer!

May all your joys add up to a very merry Christmas.

C & S FINE FOODS
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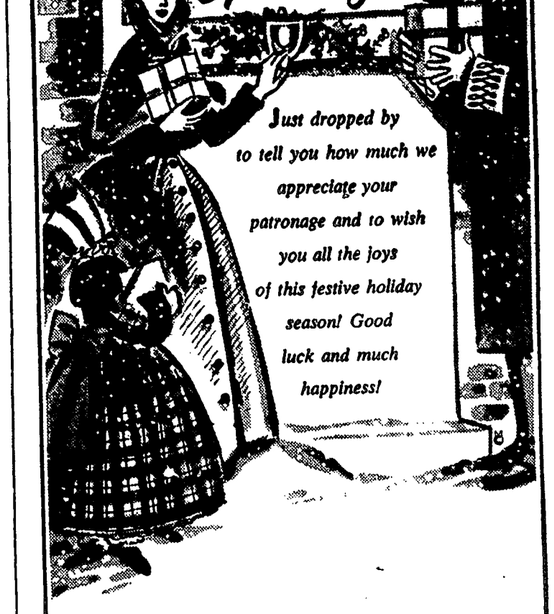
In the spirit of the season, we send to you our greetings and good wishes for a Christmas rich in hope, peace and love.

MR and MRS. NORMAN BENIGNO



Season's Greetings

Just dropped by to tell you how much we appreciate your patronage and to wish you all the joys of this festive holiday season! Good luck and much happiness!

Gulf Chevrolet Co.

Christmas Wishes

May the radiance that shone 'round the Christ child brighten the way for each and all of our friends at Christmas.

WAVELAND DRUG STORE
Harry W. Lynch
145 Coleman Ave. HO-7-6344

Thank You and Warm Wishes

We hope you have a very delightful Christmas surrounded by devoted family and friends.

BRENDA'S GIFT SHOP
The John Benigno Family
Highway 90

Silent Night

Heard in song, told in story, the Christmas message comes anew to lift our spirits, warm our hearts. At this happy time, we extend friendly greetings to all.

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COUNTY AGENT'S NOTES

BY HOWARD P. SIMMONS
Hancock County Agent

DOCK CONTROL

Dock is generally up to a pretty good stand now in Hancock County. You can get rid of it.

Spraying with 2, 4-D now while dock is young and growing fast will generally do a good job of ridding your pastures of this weed.

If you spray now, you'll likely have to go back and spray again later as all seed have not yet germinated. Most of you will be willing to spray twice to get rid of dock in small grain and to kill it on fallowed land.

Here are some suggested places to use 2, 4-D on fallowed land, on acres of small grains, on dormant permanent pastures and in sod weeded grazing areas.

But, do not use 2, 4-D on areas where crimson clover, red clover, vetch or winter peas are growing. The chemical will seriously injure these plants.

If you have dock infested pastures where a lot of young white clover is growing, wait until later to spray. This will give the clover time to grow and toughen so that the clover will be able to withstand any burning effort of the chemical.

HOGS

What kind of hogs are you selling? Are you getting top prices for yours?

The market wants meaty, top quality hogs. The old style, lardy, over fat hog is a thing of the past. The housewife, who decides what meat to buy, wafts lean meat. If she cannot find it at the pork counter, she will buy some other kind of meat.

It is up to you to produce what the consumer wants. Grow meat type hogs. Every breed has some of the right kind as well as some of the wrong kind.

It is not a matter of choosing the correct breed, but the proper individuals within the breed.

Don't get your hogs too fat to carry them too long. Normally it pays to sell hogs at 200 to 215 pounds liveweight. Up to this weight hogs make more economical gains and yield a more desirable carcass.

TREE PLANTING

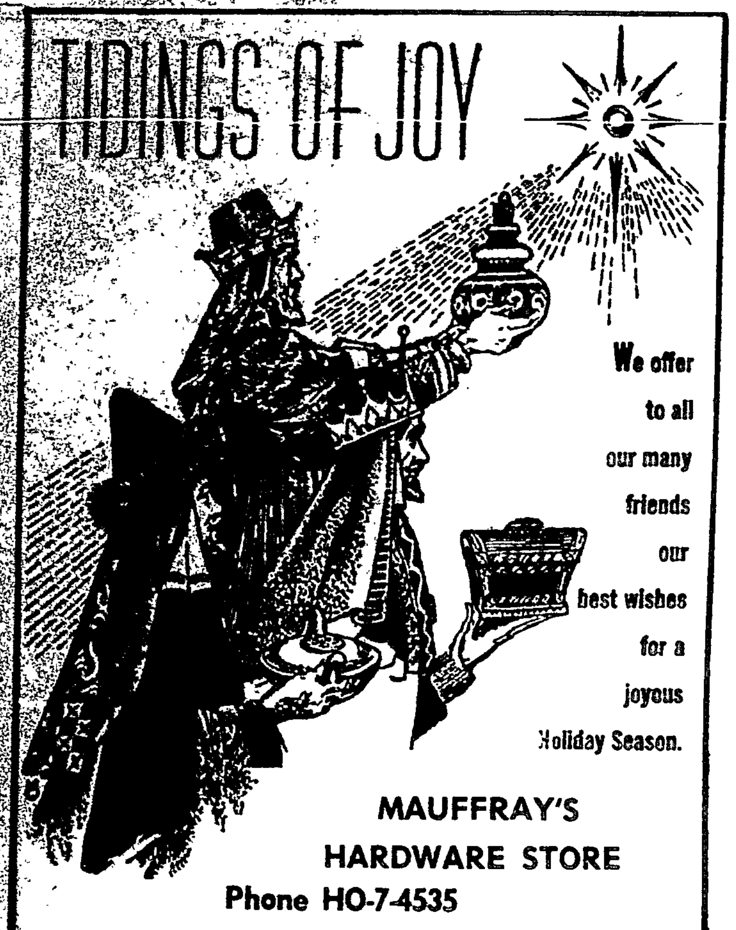
Planting time is here for tree seedlings. Plenty of moisture is in the ground for plantings and trees are being delivered.. Make sure that you handle yours properly when they arrive.

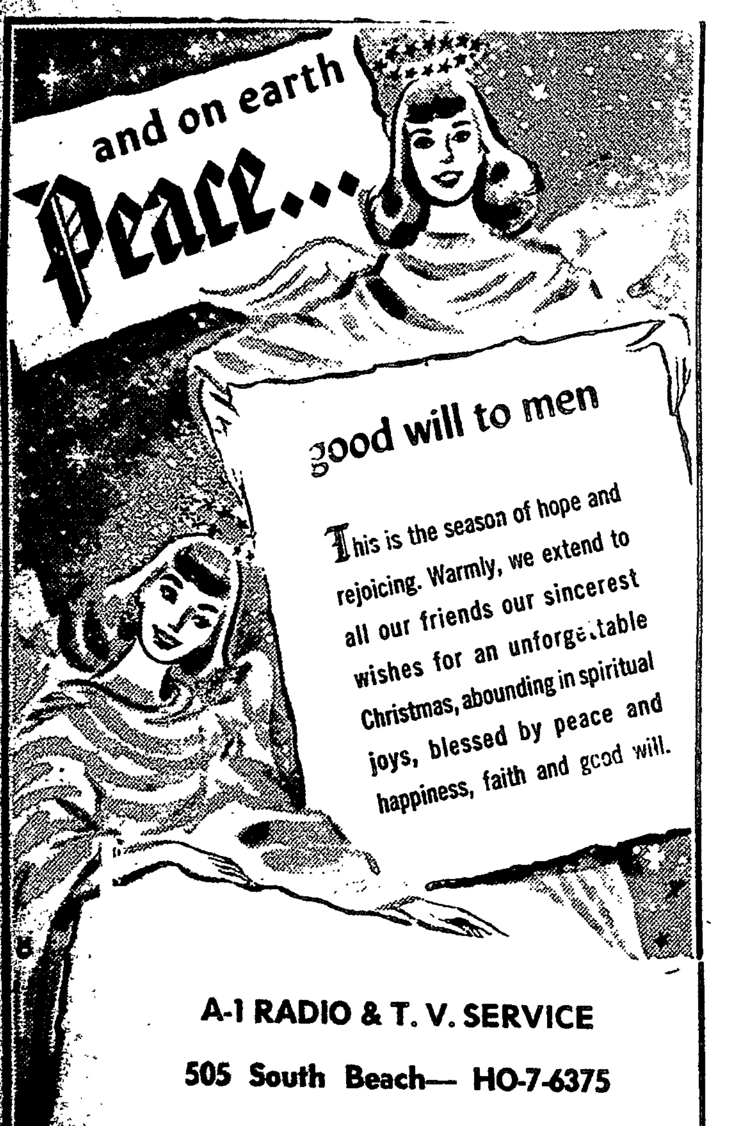
For slash and loblobby pine, deep planting is recommended. In recent tests seedlings planted to the bud had a 94 percent survival, while those planted at standard depth had a survival of only 67 percent.

If you are using a mechanical planter, grade the seedlings. Don't try mixing large and small seedlings.

DAIRYING

Comfortable cows will give more milk and make you more money. They are not comfortable if out in cold rainy weather. Give them some shelter, plenty of feed and clean, cool water. They will pay for their keep, if you give them a chance.





Named "Man Of The Year In Service To Southern Agriculture"

cial—Claude L. Welch, head of the National Cotton Council's production and marketing division, has been named 1957 "Man Of the Year in Service to Southern Agriculture" by Progressive Farmer magazine.

Cited for "notable service in the field of cotton production and marketing," Mr. Welch, as the 21st annual award winner, joins a group of some of the South's most outstanding farm and political leaders and scientists.

In announcing the 1957 Man of the Year Award, Progressive Farmer recognized Mr. Welch for Council activities aimed at eradicating the pink boll worm, its efforts in cotton quality improvement programs, and various production conferences.

The pink bollworm program of expanded research and strengthened quarantine and control is saving the cotton industry an estimated 93½ million annually.

"Already, largely through Mr. Welch's efforts," the magazine said, "great strides have been made in improving the quality of cotton." Examples include the elimination of tar-bottomed picksacks and asphalt covered bale ties.

Other quality improvement measures undertaken with the guidance of the Cotton Council's production and marketing division pointed to by the magaizne include spinning-ginning tests to determine the effect of ginning practices on cotton quality, ginning engineering graduate courses and scholarships, studies in fertilizer placement, and the seed breeding shortcut made possible by the research station at Inguala, Mexico, where a second crop generation can be produced each year.

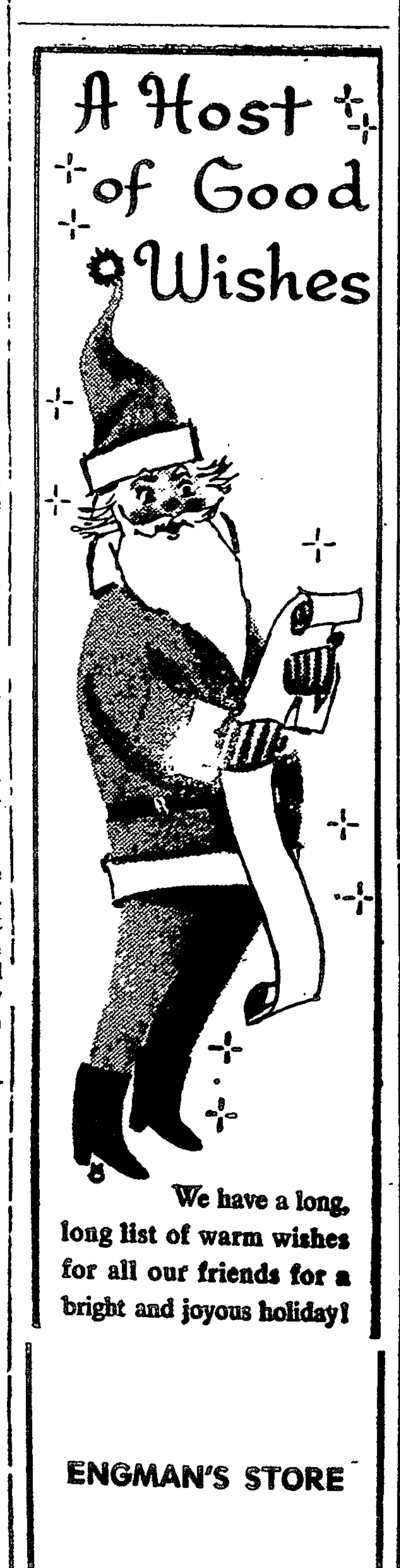
In addition to past accomplishments, Mr. Welch was commended for his achievement-in-the-making. Among the projects which his division has in the works Progressive Farmer took note of plans for an industrywide committee on long-range cotton research, research in special methods to deal with possible insect resistance, and the search for a new and better bale cover.

Mr. Welch is the second Cotton Council official to receive the Progessive Farmer award, the other being Oscar Johnston, founder and first president of the Council.

Other disguished recipients include George Washington Carver, Negro scientist; David Lilienthal, former TVA board chairman; Senator Lister Hill; and Edward O'Neal, former American Farm Bureau president for many years.

Mr. Welch grew up on a Mississippi cotton farm, received his B. S. Degree in agricultural science at Miss. State College in 1932 and his M. S. in agricultural economics in 1941. This graduate work was done at Louisiana State College and Colorado Springs College.

He joined the Council as head of production and marketing in 1945. Mr. Welch served as Jones County, Miss., agent from 1933 to 1938 and extension economist at Mississippi State for the next three years. During World War II, he was secretary of the U. S. Department of Agricultural War Board in Mississippi and state supervisor of the Office of Distribution, War Food Administration.



WEST COAST DEANERY OF NCCW MEETING AT PASS CHRISTIAN

The West Coast Deanery of the National Council of Catholic Women held its quarterly meeting in Pass Christian on Wednesday, December 11th in St. Joseph's School with Mrs. Lucille Weeks, president, presiding.

Father McGlade, the pastor of St. Paul's Church, Pass Christian, Father Cletus Manon, Picayune, Miss., Father John P. Robinson of our Lady of the Gulf Church, and Father Erwin Bower of St. Augustine's Seminary of Bay St. Louis and representatives of Bay St. Louis, Pass Christian, Long Beach, Gulfport and Picayune Units in attendance.

Father McGlade opened the meeting with a prayer. Mrs. Flora Mauffray, secretary and treasurer, read the minutes of the pevious meeting and financial report. Mrs. Weeks called for the reports of the various committees.

It was stated that the ladies of the Bay St. Louis Unit will give a Christmas Party on Wednesday, Dec. 18th for the Veterans of the Gulfport V. A. Hospital, at the hospital.

An excerpt from a message written by President Eisenhower on Crusade for Freedom was read by Mrs. Weeks, following the reading of the Council's National President's message.

A most interesting account was given by Mrs. Flora Mauffray on the recent convention, held in Biloxi.

Mrs. Weeks announced the sudden demise of one of our members Mrs. Jos. diBennedetto, Father Robinson led the prayers for the repose of her soul.

Father McGlade, at this point, welcomed the members from Picayune, Miss.

On introducing Father Cletus Manon asked that he say a few words. Father spoke on Catholics and the main purpose God put us on earth. First, to save our immortal soul, how we should try to inspire others by our Catholic example and not just know our Faith but should be able to explain it intelligently .

Father Erwin Bower of Saint Augustine's Seminary was introduced and he spoke on Christmas, stressing the need of keeping the Infant Jesus a part of the family. He drew a parallel of natural love, contained in the human family and that of the supernatural love in the Holy Family. Father gave three reasons why God came to us as our Infant Jesus.

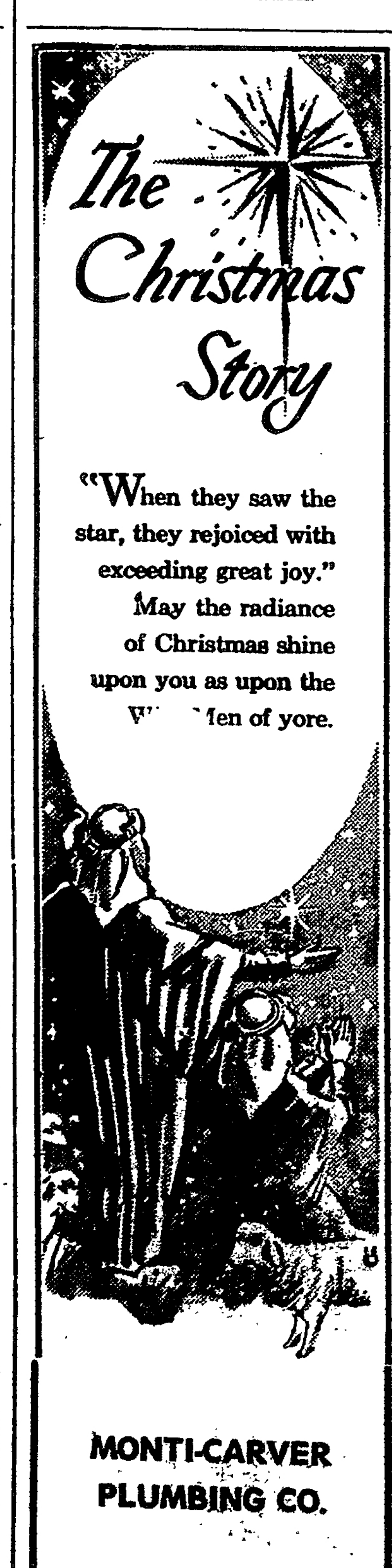
First to prove His love by being an Infant—for where there is an infant there is only love and definitely no fear could prevail.

Second, He came as a Human Being since in the likeness of nature, we would more readily understand His human example and teachings.

Third, to help us to become like Him, that is to learn obedience, respect and humility to our parents and the laws of God and Country. To teach us to love and trust in God our Father and Our Blessed Mother. As the Infant Jesus and His Virgin Mother were inseparable, so should we love, honor and trust God and Our Blessed Mother, not only through the Holy Season of Christmas but we should stay close to the Infant Jesus and His Virgin Mother, every day by trying to imitate and be like Him.

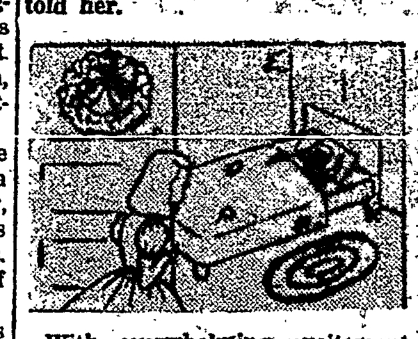
Father Robinson closed the meeting with a prayer. Refreshments were served by the ladies of the Pass Christian unit.

The next meeting will be held in Long Beach on Mar. 12th, 1958.



The Precious Gift

With a certain air of joy surrounding her and her eyes scintillating, eight-year old Patty came rushing up to the tattered door of her Mother's dingy bedroom. A perpetual flow of happiness seeped through every motion in her fairylike body, for today was the long-awaited Christmas. Joyous Christmas, the best day of the year, so her Mother had once told her.

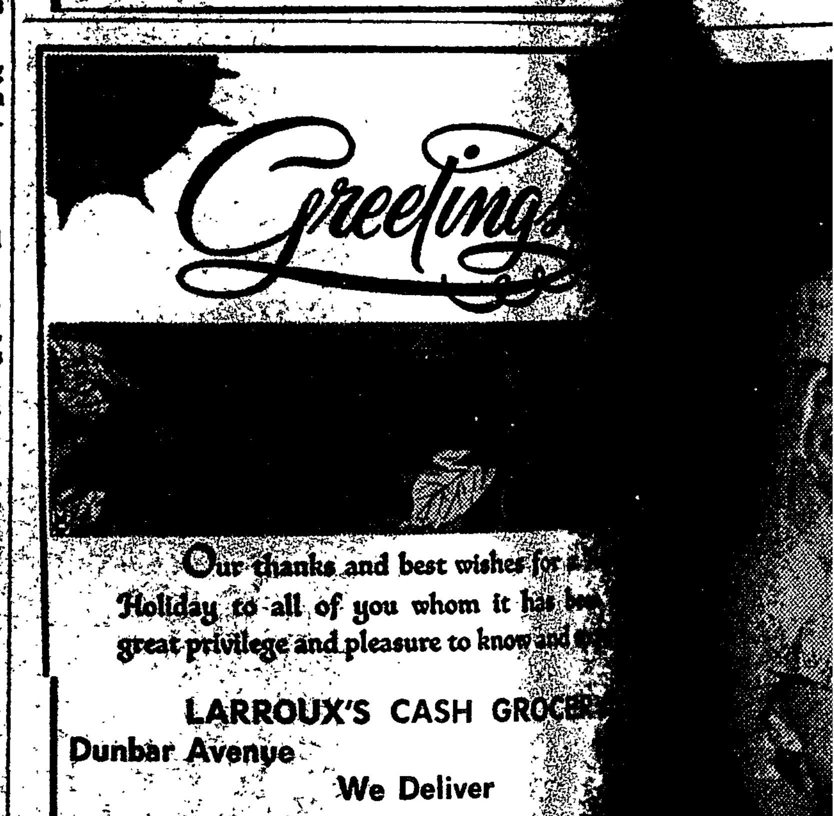


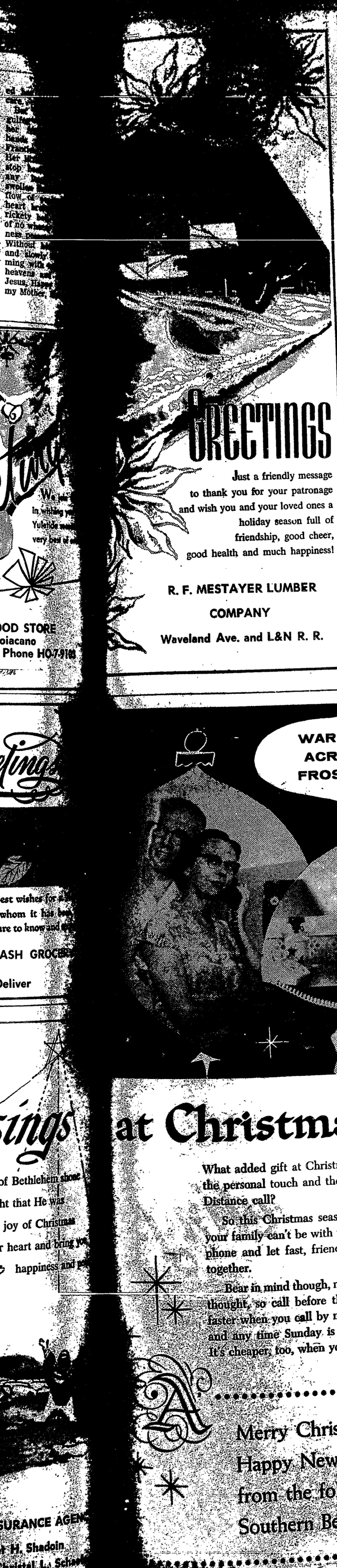
With overwhelming excitement she rapped on the door and called to her sleeping Mother.

Oh, how wonderful it would be to visit the Christ Child in his little bed of matted straw, but then how disappointing when He found out she had not a single gift to give Him. It was getting late now and her Mother was still not out of bed. Again, Patty tapped gently on the door. She could fully understand though how difficult it must be for her dear Mother to awaken, for she had to work all day since her father had left, and also the doctor had said she was in the poorest of health. Silently Patty peeped her small head through the door. She saw her Mother lying peacefully in the old ragged bed.

She looked so young and yet so old. Her face was drawn slightly and her coal black hair was already turning a silvery gray. Still little Patty loved her dearly, for she was the only special treasure she had.

Carefully, so as not to suddenly awaken her, Patty crept over to the sagging bed. She touch-





GREETINGS

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HOME MAKERS NEED REMINDING

How many additional milk sales can be made through point-of-sale promotion urging consumers to "take home an extra quart for the weekend"? More than enough to make the promotion worth while, says the American Dairy Association. The association bases its opinion on information gathered in a continuous study of consumers attitudes toward dairy products. According to the survey —conducted on a nation-wide basis by Alfred Politz Research Inc. —more than half of all homemakers *sometimes find themselves* without milk when they need it, usually on the weekend. 'When these homemakers find themselves without milk on a weekend, they most likely will shrug their shoulders and decide to do without", said Sam Gunter, state manager.

"The market for selling the extra weekend milk is gained or lost at the point of sale,, and the indication is that the market can be greatly expanded by in-store promotions urging homemakers to be SURE she has enough milk to see her through the weekend.

About two-thirds of the adult population drink both milk and coffee, yet only one-fourth of this group drinks both at the same meal. Increased promotion of the "MILK NOW, COFFEE LATER" theme in both restaurants and homes can increase this market.

Cheese promotion opportunities indicated by the survey show that emphasis on use in sandwiches, ease of preparation in cooked dishes, adaptability to many different kind of uses, nourishment and good taste will appeal to the average homemaker. Over 46 percent of cheese usres listed ease of preparation as a significant advantage.

The study also shows that the number of homemakers using but. ter only or both butter and oleomargarine continues at higher level than two years ago. Butter has gained in prestige cooking uses over the last three years.

Queries on the use of ice cream showed that almost one-third of all homes have ice cream on hand on an average day, and that about one-half of all homemakers serve it at least once a week.

Alex Dreier Gives Salute To Mississippi On NBC Monitor Network

"This is the Deep South of Yesterday and the New South of Tomorrow—Mississippi, where the ante-bellum mansion sits in the shadow of the new factory, and mint juleps and magnolias and cotton are giving way to the 10 A. M. coffee break," said Alex Dreier in his Salute to Mississippi Sunday, December 8, on NBC-MONITOR over a coast-to-coast network.

"Mississippi is 47,716 square miles of land, two million people eager to embrace new opportunities, economical natural gas and plenty of it, great stands of timber, oil, plentiful power, and a climate that keeps travel editors wearing out typewriter ribbons," he continued, but she's still a romantic old girl who hasn't forgotten her manners or how to flirt with a fan."

Governor J. P. Coleman addressed the nation's radio audience at the start of the broadcast, saying, "The hospitality State, Mississippi, extends a cordial greeting to Alex Dreier, Man on the Go, and radio listeners everywhere. Mississippi, with its jet-age program of expansion, is truly the State on the Go. If you haven't visited us recently, you'll be amazed at the changes. Why not come for a winter vacation? Wherever you go, don't miss Mississippi!"

A vivid picture of the state's amazing progress under Hugh White's famous plan to balance agriculture with industry was given by Alex Dreier, contrasted with the traditional graciousness of her people and the beauty and culture of her cities.

"Natchez, once the cultural ,political and commercial center of much of the Old South," said Dreier,, still retains her glamour and color. You can't get deeper south in Natchez during the Annual Pilgrimages in March and April, when the women of the Garden Clubs put on their bustled costumes of the early 1800's and serve as gracious hostesses to tens of thousands of tourists.

"Vicksburg, the Gibraltar of the Confederacy, is the number one historical attraction in the state. Its pride and joy is the spacious Vicksburg National Military Park, where a heroic story is told in bronze, iron, marble and granite markets. Jackson, the state's capital and largest city, divides its time between politics and the only slightly less spectacular lumbering business, as well as the production of cottonseed oil and textiles. Columbus, rich in tradition and historical background, is the earliest place mentioned in state records. It can remember when the first steamboat landed. back in 1822. Still operating under its original charter, dated 1852, is the oldest bank in the state, and nearby at Rural Hill the first Consolidated School in the nation.

"Is Biloxi, with its glamourous past, old or not? It was the first permanent settlement in the lush Mississippi Valley and is strong in tradition but its gleaming hotels and sleek residents have the look of tomorrow. The beaches are seemingly endless, the white sands unbelievably bright. Beauvoir near by, is its own tourist magnet—the beautifully restored home of Jefferson Davis. And anything Biloxi has, Pascagoula will match, and Pass Christian will try to surpass. These are the unbelievably beautiful Gulf Coast towns, and there are more, like Ocean Springs, Long Beach and Bay Saint Louis.

"Despite the changes wrought by twentieth century economics," Dreier concluded, "the new Mississippi is still the old Mississippi, too. The nation will watch her as she blends the two into an even greater state, for what happens in Mississippi may well happen everywhere in a South that is awakening to a new rebirth and bending its shoulder to a new kind of wheat—one that may roll it into greater glories than the Old South ever knew."

The Mississippi salute was one of a series of radio programs featuring Alex Dreier as "Man on the go for the Van on the Go," sponsored by North American Van Lines, Inc., world-wide long-distance moving firm. There are ten local North American agents in Mississippi cities. World headquarters of the company are at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

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City of Bay St. Louis

John Scafide, Mayor

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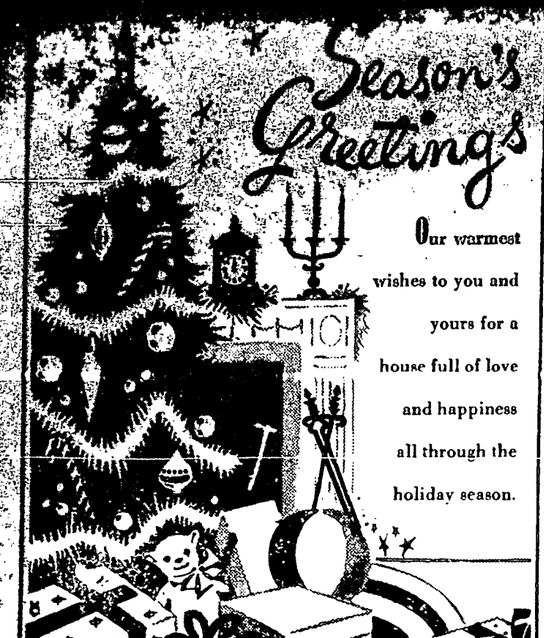

Season's Greetings

Our warmest wishes to you and yours for a house full of love and happiness all through the holiday season.

SUNSHINE'S

Mr.. and Mrs. G. Gleim

...AT NATCHEZ, MISS.

Southern Vice Commander John D. Rutherford Jr. and Hancock County Commander Russell J. Elliott and wives, motored to the Mid-Winter American Legion Conference in Natchez to represent the Southern District of Mississippi and the Clement R. Bontemps Post No. 139.

The conference was very well attended with representation from the entire state.

Many enlightening reports were read Legion programs were planned and reviewed for the coming year. Membership at this time was the most important issue of the conference, which now, of all times, is of most importance due to the proposed cut in Veterans pensions and hospital, and medicine care in the January session of Congress. The Natchez American Legion Post members were most gracious hosts and the entire city did all in their power to make the visiting Legionnaires welcome and have a very enjoyable stay in this historic old city.

EXPENSE ACCOUNT FILINGS ARE NOT REQUIRED FOR '57

The internal revenue service reversed itself and said that taxpayers will not be requred to fill in the new expense account line on their individual income tax forms for 1957. Taxpayers have emphasized to the internal revenue service that most employes who are reimbursed for expenses file their bills and receipts with their empolyers and do not retain copies. All individual tax payers who incur expenses in connection with their employment should keep adequate records for their expenditures and reimbursements so that for 1958 and later years they will be in a position to supply expense account information from their own personal records.

...Charles Dismukes M. Kimichael...

Charles Dismukes M. Kimichael has been named winner of a $1,600 college scholarship in Forestry work in his 4-H Club. He was also named state winner in the 4-H forestry achievement program. He began working with his project around five years ago on his father's 105 acre farm in Montgomery County, of which 65 acres were in timber. Charles has since planned an additional 13,000 pine seedlings on land subject to erosion. He doesn't keep his forestry knowledge to himself. In telling the forestry story to others, he has presented 63 demonstrations on tree planting, fire lane construction, timber estimation, marking and timber stand improvement work.

...Mississippi is rapidly becoming the new livestock center of the United States due to grazing difficulties in the eastern part of the nation. Cotton is still the number one commercial crop but mining has become a significant stimulant to Mississippi's economy in recent years, with the most spectacular developments taking place in oil and gas extraction. Since discovery of the Tinsley Field in 1939 through 1956, Mississippi has produced a total of 506.5 million barrels of oil and 1,868 million MCF of natural gas. In order of value, the principal minerals are petroleum, natural gas, cement and clays.

DOLLARS FOR CATTLE, HOGS HELP BALANCE COTTON LOSS

Were it not for livestock and other avenues of agricultural diversification introduced through the years. Christmas bells would ring a hollow note this year. This serves to demonstrate the usefulness of the livestock industry, in a year when the cotton crop has lost up to 50 percent of its value because of weather conditions during the harvest season. In the Southern part of Miss., native cattle usually were the nondescript yellow variety, and there has been sound reason for wanting darker herefords to change the color of range herds fast.

...CAN BE REDUCED DURING 1957 PERIOD

Mississippi's traffic death rate can be reduced during 1957!

If public support is thrown behind highway safety and the motoring observers all traffic rules and regulations during December, Public Safety Commissioner Tom Scarborough points out that the state's 1957 death toll may well drop below 500. Five hundred sixty-one motorists were killed last year in traffic mishaps.

Good citizenship on the highway prevents accidents, and if the true spirit of Christmas fellowship manifested at Christmas socials were practiced behind the wheel throughout December, highway fatalities would be curbed.

Last year, the December auto death toll climbed to a staggering 77 killed, a primary factor behind the near-record 1957 fatality count.

This year, the state has an opportunity to finish well behind 57, but only if the motoring public adheres to Commissioner Scarborough's appeal for more careful driving. With public cooperation, lives will be saved.

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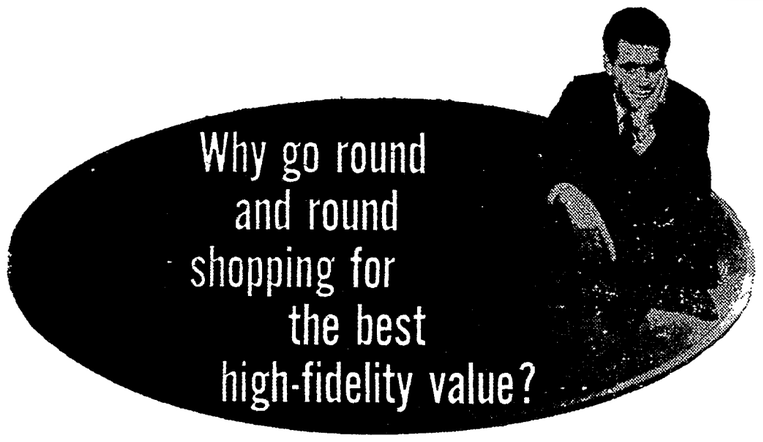

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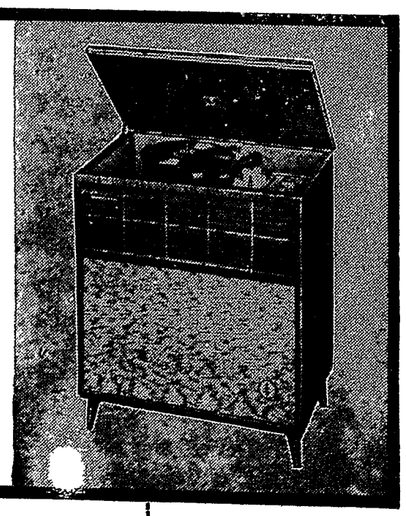

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...of C. Auxiliary Puts Out ...istmas Boxes In Stores

...of Columbus with ...the Auxiliary members ...placed boxes in the ...stores of Bay St. Louis ...all persons, when doing ...shopping to remember ...is a time for feasting ...many in our own community ...not the means to ...helped by those ...Give a gift of ...so that a Christmas ...may be filled providing ...with sufficient food ...the joy of Christmas Bro... to your less prosperous

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...program of placing receptacle boxes in grocery stores ...instituted last year by the ...of Columbus, and met ...much success that the ...felt it would be ...repeating the procedure, so ...generous persons could easily ...pleasure of giving by ...convenient receptacles in ...drop a spare purchase.

...Regis Dowd, To ...At High Mass

...Regis Dowd, M. S., S. ...officiate at High Mass ...December 24, at St. ...Church, Pearlington. Con... heard at 11:00 ...date. ...will be held at ...Catholic Church, Lake... Dec. 24 with confessions ...11:00 p. m. on that date.

CHILDREN'S MANGER SERVICE AT CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Seventy-five children will be made happier on Christmas Day from gifts which were brought on Sunday evening by the children of Christ Church Sunday School and placed at the foot of the Manger at the close of the beautiful Manger Service.

At five o'clock on Sunday afternoon the annual Manger Service for children of the Sunday School was held in the Church with the Reverend Latimer Garett, assistant pastor and Baker Turner, Sunday School Supt. conducting. Acolytes were Sammy Allison, Buddy Languirand and Leslie Pepperdene. Mary was portrayed by Piji White and Joseph by Zach Butterworth. The beautiful scene depicted in front of the Altar which was banked with greenery brought the realization of the true remembrance of the birth of the Christ Child to the congregation. Christmas carols were sung, and at the close of the service each child presented a gift for a less fortunate child of the community., and placed the gift at the foot of the manger.

The gifts were turned over to Mrs. Ina Piazza, who is so well known for her work in all charities in the county, and who is closely connected with a great deal of welfare work in the American Red Cross. Mrs. Piazza will see that needy children will receive these presents..

Immediately following the church service, the annual Christmas Tree party was held in the Parish House. To the gay lifting of voices of the children in the Jingle Bells song, Santa arrived laden with a full pack of gifts for each little boy and girl. A large and beautifully trimmed Christmas Tree was ablaze with twinkling lights, and each child was called by name to be given a present from Santa, plus fruit and candies. The gay spirit of Kris-Kringle, prevailed and fun of opening gifts. eating the delicious goodies and examining each others gifts climaxed a lovely pre-Christmas evening for the Sunday School Group of Christ Episcopal Church.

DEARBORN COMPANY ENTERTAINS AT CHRISTMAS PARTY

Management of the Dearborn Machinery Co, entertained at a gala Christmas and Cocktail party last week at the Buena Vista Hotel in Biloxi.

Among the guests were a large number of Bay St. Louis residents, employees and guests of the firm.

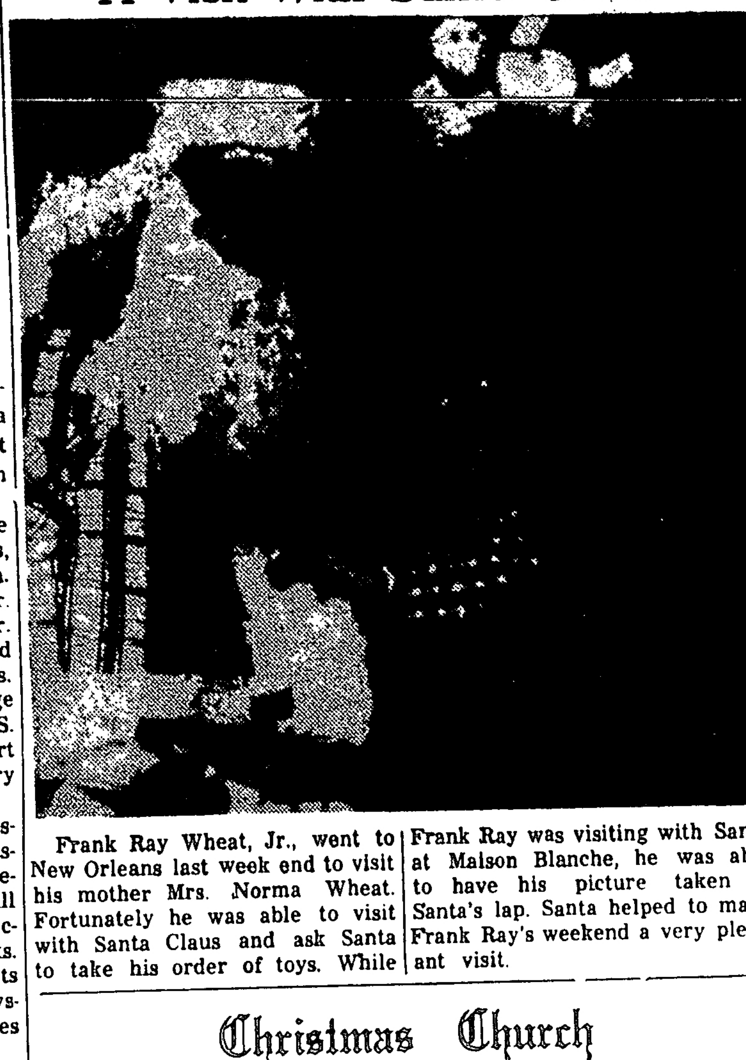
Mr. and Mrs. Rex Rector, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gottschalk, Mr. and Mrs. Santo Rosato, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Morreale, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. George Seuzeneau, Mr. and Mrs. J S. Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Kemery, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heitzmann.

Mr. Rector, Executive Vice-President of the concern and Mr. Gottschalk, District Manager were presented a barbecue pit and grill for the Rector's and a moving picture camera for the Gottschalks.

Gaily packed Christmas gifts containing delicious preserves, crystalized fruits and other delectables were given to each guest.

The cocktail party preceded the dinner which featured a full Christmas menu repast, with tables decorated in traditional Yule manner, while the dance orchestra provided rhythm music for dancers.

A Visit With Santa Claus



Frank Ray Wheat, Jr., went to New Orleans last week end to visit his mother Mrs. Norma Wheat. Fortunately he was able to visit with Santa Claus and ask Santa to take his order of toys. While Frank Ray was visiting with Santa at Maison Blanche, he was able to have his picture taken on Santa's lap. Santa helped to make Frank Ray's weekend a very pleasant visit.

American Legion Christmas Tree Party Dec. 24th

The annual Legion's Christmas tree and party for all the children of Hancock County will be held at the Clement R. Bontemps Post Home Christmas Eve.

Legionnaire Felix Seeger, chairman of the gala affair, has made special arrangements through the combined efforts of Mr. Wesley of Bogalousa and Pilot Jack Seuzeneau of the Civil Air Patrol for Santa Claus to arrive at 12:45 by seaplane.

Once again Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scafidi and family have graciously volunteered to assist the Legionnaires by adding entertainment in the form of a free show and popcorn for all the kiddies at the Star Theatre immediately after's arrival.

Following the movie, all of Santa's Legionnaires helpers and their Auxiliary will give presents from Santa to all the children in the community.

Commander Rogers "Red" Reinike stated, this will be the fifth consecutive Christmas Tree party that the Legion Post No. 139 has held for the children. Legionnaires are proud and thankful for the wonderful cooperation and prestige the people of Hancock County have afforded the local Legion Post, and that all Legionnaires welcome this opportunity to bring joy to the children during this happiest season of the year.

All adults are invited to attend and witness this stupendous Christmas party. The most joyous and happy Christmas feelings will be felt by all, as the children eagerly join in the Season's Spirits at the sight of Santa Claus and all the gifts.

Make arrangements. Bring all the kiddies. Ask your neighbor to come with you. The American Legion's Christmas tree and party is an event you just can't afford to miss. Come early, join in the crowd and help the Clement R. Bontemps Post of the American Legion bring joy and Christmas to all.

Merry Christmas to everyone from all Legionnaires.

Contracts Awarded for Hospital Equipment

Contracts were awarded at a meeting this morning for heating and sprinkler systems for the Hancock County Hospital.

Eugene W. Dillman was low bidder for the heating system with a bid of $1,695 00 and the Ivey Automatic Sprinkler Co., of Jackson received that contract with a low bid of $3,000 00 for unit and installation.

A joint meeting between the Board of Supervisors and the Hospital Board was held at the Courthouse for the opening of the bids.

Wilfred W. Dawson, Gulfport, Architect for the remodeling of the hospital here was also present.

Seeking to expidite time, a call was made by City Commissioner J. Cyril Glover to confirm water pressure required by the State Commission on Hospital Care, and information as to the status of the pressure here along with proposed plans of Dawson and figures bid on the 2 units advertised for, were telephoned to Foster Fowler, in Jackson, who agreed that proposed contracts, plans and city water pressure would be acceptable to the State Commission on Hospital Care.

Installation of the two units will be completed by Jan. 11, and approval for the opening of the hospital is anticipated at the January 13, meeting of the Commission in Jackson.

Norton Haas, president of the local Hospital Board, said it is the hope of the Board that the hospital will be servicing the community by the middle of January.

C OF C MEMBERSHIP DRIVE TO BE STAGED

Mrs. Mabel Green, secretary of the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce, advises that letters have been mailed as a prelude to the membership drive which will begin in January.

Businessmen, professional men and merchants are urged to join this organization which with year round program planning promotes the growth and industry of the community.

The Chamber of Commerce does a good job for any community in which it is located. It is doing a good job in Hancock County," said Mrs. Green, "and it is hoped by the recently elected Board of Officers that the membership will be increased considerably during the 1958 year."

St. Clare's Holy Name Christmas Party

St. Clare's Holy Name Society of Waveland, and their ladies Auxiliary are having a Christmas Party for all children of the Parish this Sunday, December 22, at 3 p m. in the Parish Hall. Movies will shown and children of the Parish will receive a present from Santa Claus, who has made arrangments to be here in person for the party. All children twelve years and under are invited to attend and must be accompanied by their parents or an adult. So kids, come see Santa Claus at the Holy Name Xmas party Sunday, December 22 at the Parish Hall.

...JURES HAND

Tony Monti was hospitalized yesterday in Memorial hospital and underwent surgery on his left hand after meeting with an accident while at work.

Edmond Albert Aime, 49 Years, Died Suddenly Saturday, December 14

Services were held Monday morning at 10:15 o'clock from Fahey Funeral Home for Edmond Albert Aime, 49 years of age, who died Saturday afternoon, December 14, at the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Delta Lizana, 126 Main St.

The well known Bay St. Louis man was stricken suddenly while looking at a television program. Earlier in the afternoon he had suffered a slight attack but was feeling well enough to drive to Mrs. Lizana's home. He was there with his daughter Mrs. Andrew Scafidi as the sudden attack came which claimed his life within minutes.

Religious services were from Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church with interment in Gardens of Memory Cemetery. Pall bearers were a cousin, Lucien Raymond, Sr., Sam Scafidi, Sylvan J. Ladner, Curtis Matherne, A. C. Mitchell and Al Summy.

The deceased was the son of the late Louis Edmond Aime and Gabrielle Ann Raymond of New Orleans. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elise Lizana Aime, a daughter, Mrs. Jean Scafidi, and two sons, Edmond V. and Victor Aime. Also survived by three grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews.

He was a member of the Knights of Columbus and the Woodmen of the World.

GARDEN CLUB SPONSOR ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SHOW

At the regular meeting held last Thursday, the Bay-Waveland Garden Club, in the Reed, Hotel, business was brief and quickly dispensed in order to have ample time for the elaborate Christmas Show which has become an annual feature of the club's activities.

Handsome decorations were submitted for competition from members of the Senior and Junior Divisions of the Club with a Tri-color ribbon in the senior division being won my Miss Veronica Mohr for her gay and delightfully artistic Kitchen display. Miss Mohr also won the Blue Ribbon for her Entrance Hall display. Mrs. Paul Miller took home two first place awards for her entries of arrangements for den and dining rooms. Mrs. Ruth Luderbach received first place in the Doorway displays.

In the Junior Division Jean Blake was the winner of the Tricolor with an Entrance Hall arrangement. Mildred Parker for dining room; Nita Kay Erwin, kitchen; Dale Parker for Den and Regina Moran for doorway.

About 70 persons were present. The Entrance Prize Award went to Mrs. J. E. Erwin.

Mrs. H. W. LeTissier received her guests for the afternoon assisted by Mrs. Roy Baxter, Mrs. Dan M. Russell, Mrs. E. C. Samuel, Mrs. C. R. Beyer, Mrs. Joseph Kern, Mrs. Norman Renshaw, Mrs. Ben Hille, Mrs. J. A. Tognotti and Mrs. Flora Mary.

Mrs. Frank Emery was chairman of the Christmas Show.

Christmas Church Services

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

December 24, 1957—Holy Communion and Senior Choir and sermon - 11:30 p. m.

Christmas Day, Dec. 25—Holy Communion - Junior Choir and Sermon - 11:00 A. M.

December 26—St. Stephen's Day, Holy Communion, 10:00 A. M.

December 27—St. John's Day—Holy Communion, 10:00 A. M.

December 28—Holy Innocents Day, Holy Communion, 10:00 A. M.

January 1, 1958—New Year's Day, Holy Communion, 9:30 A. M.

On any of the above days Holy Communion will be brought to the sick and shut-ins by calling HO-7-5125 or HO-7-5315.

WAVELAND CATHOLIC CHURCH AND CLERMONT HARBOR CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Clare's Waveland—Tuesday, December 24—Confessions will be heard from 4 to 6 p. m.; from 7 to 8 p. m.

Midnight Mass at 12:00 Midnight.

Christmas Day, December 25—Mass 9:30 a. m.

New Year's Day—January 1, 1958, Mass 6:00 a. m.

Clermont Harbor - Christmas Day, Dec. 25 - Mass 8:00 a. m.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S SEMINARY

Dec. 24, Vigil of Christmas—5:30 p. m. Solemn Christmas Novena Devotions.

11 p. m.—Procession to the Crib

12:00 Midnight Solemn High Mass

Christmas Day, Dec. 25—Masses 6:30 a. m. - 7:00 a. m. - 8:00 a. 8:30 a. m. - 9:00 a. m. Solemn High Mass 4:30 p. m. Solemn Vespers.

Dec. 26—Masses at 6:30 a. m. - 9:00 a. m. Solemn High Mass 4:30 p. m. Solemn Vespers.

METHODIST CHURCH CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Thursday, Dec. 19—7:30 p. m. Family Night Birthday Supper in Fellowship Hall, featuring the singing of Carols and a film strip showing "Christmas Around The World."

Sunday, Dec. 22, 11:00 a. m. morning service with sermon topic, "Gifts for the King." The choir will sing the Anthem "Praise in the Highest," Ellen Lorenz.

Sunday, Dec. 22—7:30 p. m. A Christmas Candle Light Service with theme "Christ The Hope of The World." Offering will be used for gifts for the needy of the community.

A reception sponsored by the Woman's Society of Christian Service and Methodist Youth Fellowship will follow in Fellowship Hall for the young people home from schools for the seasonal holidays

Christmas Morning, Dec 25, 7:30 a. m. Service of Worship in the Church Sanctuary.

OUR LADY OF THE GULF CATHOLIC CHURCH

Confessions as usual.

Dec. 24—Solemn High Mass at Midnight

Christmas Day, Dec 25—Masses will follow as on Sundays, 6:00 7:00 and 8:30 10:00 a. m. - 11:30 a. m. - 5:30 p. m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHAPEL
Dunbar Avenue

Christmas Day, Dec. 25—Mass, 8:30 a. m.

ST. HENRY'S CHAPEL

Christmas Day, Dec. 25—Mass 8:30 a. m.

BAYOU LACROIX CHAPEL

Christmas Day, Dec 25—Mass 4:30 p. m.

ST. ROSE DeLIMA

Monday, Dec. 23 - 6:30 a. m. - 6:30 p. m. climaxing last week of Novena

Dec. 24 - 6:30 a. m.

Solemn High Mass at 12:00 Midnight

Confessions on Christmas Eve—Dec. 24—before 6:30 a. m Mass and from 3:00 to 6:00 p. m. from 6:30 p. m. to 9:00 p. m. - from 11:00 p. m. until beginning of Midnight Mass.

Christmas Day, Dec 25—Masses at 6:30 a. m. - 8:30 a. m

...pens Art Studio On Beach Here

...and again we write ...story about one of the ...talented and positive person... Bay St. Louis, and each ...has been a new facet on the ...personality of Beatrice ...who sparkles at all times, ...whose talents are receiving ...acclaim.

...time the light hits a ...diamond a new gleam is ...and each time we encounter ...new sparkle emerges with ...glow that is absolutely ...

...she has done it again ...or so ago, Bea with Bet... ...rrington, another extremely ...talented artist opened a small ...on the beach. Here the two ...women toiled at art work, ...specializing in her well ...portrait work and Betty ...modern and character studies with smatterings of still life. ...Both girls were gay ...charming on the surface, ...to be completely happy ...little studio, doing what ...came along and passing pleas... with friends. However, un... ...surface of these young ...lies a deeper core than is ...when they are just be... ...Both are ambitious, ...that much improvement ...in their work, and ...striving to give the world ...efforts from talents ...they feel can bring pleas... others. In direct contrast with outer personalities, they are very serious young women, who and charming on the surface, feel the Divine Creator has endowed them with something and that in turn they should develop that something with all the will they have. So the little studio was closed at the end of the summer and Betty returned to Tulane University to work on her Masters Degree and Bea saved her money to attend the Art Institute in New York City.

Tireless in her energies and with determination to learn rapidly by applying and driving herself with countless hours of work Bea completed the course and returned home to Bay St. Louis As most of our readers may know by a story we ran several weeks ago, Bea won acclaim shortly after returning home with entries in the Gulf Coast Art Show. What our readers dont know is that in addition to winning honors, Bea also received severe criticism from renowned art critics. Constructive criticism is wanted by every person with high ideals and aims, so Bea relished the criticism more than the awards.

Then she went to work again. This time to reopen a studio in Bay St. Louis, where she could work, display and give the residents something in the cultural line which is a rarity in small towns.

When one enters "The Pallette" the original name of the first little shop, one remembers that a few months ago it housed a fish market. With no disparagement meant to fish markets, (we are extremely fond of all types) there is never-the-less a far distance between an art studio and a fish market. With her usual boundless energies, Bea has painted, nailed, converted, sewed drapes, refinished and recovered furniture, set up easeles, and hung pictures on the walls. One enters what appears to be a most tastefully furnished and comfortable living room. Potted plants, ornamental vases and small pieces of antique and fine china, magazine racks, and deep seated chairs invite one to be at home. The color scheme blends in the brown and beige shades, with electric lighting subdued and relaxing. In a rear room Bea has her work shop. Not quite so elegant but with good north light (a requirement for artists) paints, palettes, easels, desk, stools and chairs for models, etc. And like a kid with a cherished new toy, Bea explodes with animation as she conducts her guest on a tour of the premises. Then she begins to talk about her experiences in the New York School, and one becomes so fascinated times flies but literally. Unlike people with lesser talent, Bea will tell about the flaws in certain of her pictures, will show sketches she made in New York of line drawings, etc., and becomes quite grave and earnest in her endeavors to make her listener feel the deep emotion she feels from her work.

There is another facet to Bea's character that few are aware of. This is the deeply devout side of a woman who realizes that all that she has is a gift from God. She becomes placid and calm (and we mean calm) when she tells of her desire to bring beauty to the world. She can see in a derelict bum, character, which the average person would disdain to even try to find. In what the world may determine an ugly person, Bea with a true artist's instinct, can see character and beauty beneath the surface, and can by the gift of God and her endeavors, bring hidden beauty to light. Such a person is a credit and a privilege to any community. Diamonds are the most priceless of gems and Bea is a diamond of personality, with a beauty of soul, and as the diamond brings lights that gleam, so does Bea shed light and laughter and she fills her world with beauty.

...Jr., children of Mr. and Mrs. Char... ...Christmas tree at the home of ...E. Favre, Sr.

To Present Christmas Program December 19

The Students of S. J. A. will present a Christmas program in the S. J. A. Gym at 7:30 P. M., Thursday, December 19.

Since most Americans think of our Christmas trees, mistle toe and any decorations as having American origin, the grammar and high school pupils decided to give credit where credit is due and familiarize all with the true origin of our Christmas traditions.

The program will inclue carolling, by the Choral group, a Christmas Candle Ballet by high school students, the Mistletoe Dance by seventh graders and the Skater's Waltz by the sixth graders.

A Nativity Pageant will climax the program as the students portray the age-old picture of God's greatest Gift to men.

Admission for the evening will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

Garden Club Lighting Program Clarified By Mrs. Joseph Kern

Mrs. Joseph Kern, chairman of the Christmas Lighting Porgram sponsored each year by the Bay Waveland Garden Club, clarified the awards for the benefit of those persons who wish to decorate for competition.

Winners of last year, if they have the same catagory of display, will receive honorary mention, and awards will be given to new contestants. However, should they change category and are favorably judged as winner, they willl be eligible for prize.

"If last year's winner of the Indoor Tree, as an example, concentrates on a door way this season, and if it should be selected best by the judges, then the award for that category will be presented to them. If, however, they chose to again us an indoor tree, then if selected, honorable mention will be made, and the award given to another selection in the same category. We hope this will make the planning easier for those persons who wish to have decorations eligible for judging," said. Mrs. Kern.

Eugene Dillmann Chosen Head of Bay Saint Louis Masonic Lodge

Eugene Roland Dillmann was elected to serve as Worshipful Master of Bay St. Louis Lodge No. 429 F&AM, at a regular meeting Tuesday night, December 10th.

Other officers elected to serve with him for the ensuing year include: Senior Warden, Wheeler Adol Hartsfield; Junior Warden, James Smith Harvell; Treasurer, John David Rutherford; Secretary, Michael Joseph Necaise, Jr.; Tyler Thomas Polk Clapp.

Appointments were: Senior Deacon, James Andrew Fillingame; Junior Deacon, John David Green and Rev. Alfred Moses Ellison, Jr., Chaplain.

Mr. Dillmann is a native of Bay St. Louis. He has been active in Masonic work for the past several years. He has held the offices, Senior Warden, Junior Warden and Junior Deacon. He is also a member of Knights Templar of Gulfport and a member of the First Baptist Church of Bay St. Louis.

He is married to Miss Irene Marie George of New Orleans, La. Mrs. Dillmann held the office of Worthy Matron O. E. S. for the year 1957. They reside with their two daughters, Sheila and Lydia, at 408 Ballentine St.

Worshipful Master Chris Reab announced that the installation of officers will be held on St. John night, at 8 p. m. Friday night, December 27th, 1957, at the Masonic Temple.

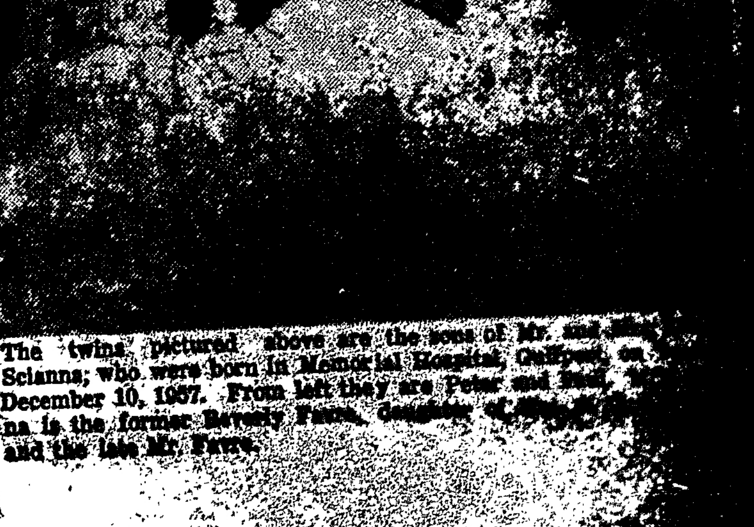
NOTICE

For the benefit of our patrons, we wish to make known the following information.

The next two issues of the Hancock County Eagle will be published as usual, on Thursday, December 26th and Thursday, January 2nd. This office will remain open on Monday, Thursday and Friday of each of these weeks. We will be closed on Tuesday and Wednesday, December 24 and 25, and on Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 31 and Jan. 1.

If possible, any news items or advertising must be sent in on Mondays of these weeks or placed in the mail so that we may have them for Thursday morning.

We ask the public's cooperation, so that our employees may enjoy the usual holidays. THANKS.



The twins pictured above are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. ... Scianna; who were born in Memorial Hospital, Gulfport, on December 10, 1957. From left they are Peter and ... ...na is the former Beverly Favre, daughter of ... and the late Mr. Favre.

T. V. & A...

...ing happy ho... ...bring many to ...d in love and ...lentiful sha... ...may this pl... ...appier for the ...you, most since...

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He So Loved . . .

HE TAUGHT THE WORLD TO LOVE

For God so loved the world that He gave his only begotten Son . . .

How meaningful are these words today, nearly two thousand years after the humble beginning of that One Great Life at Bethlehem. How holy and purposeful was this life upon earth that it comes to us again and again in the spirit of Christmas to remind that the real joy and the real goodness of life lie not in riches and gold, or self attainment, but in thoughtful and unselfish service and love..

For He so loved the world that He taught the world to love. Through one, great and wonderful life upon earth.. He set down for all mankind and for all time the supreme example of the good life. In His every deed and action He portrayed the qualities of love and faith and kindness.

These qualities—and more—are all a part of Christmas. But, by His example, they are qualities that should abound in our lives throughout the years.

In thankfulness to God, for all His goodness and love we should keep the Christmas in its true and joyful meaning, the spiritual occasion of the birth of Christ. And if we can keep the spirit of Christ within our hearts throughout the year.

HAL MARCH MAKES MOVIE MARK IN COMEDY AT A&G

Opening at the A&G Theatre, Sunday and Monday, Hear Me Good," the motion picture starring debut of famed TV quizmaster Hal March, may well turn out to be the comedy surprise of the year. Written, produced and directed by Don McGuire, one of Hollywood's most talented hands with a loony plot, rapid-fire, wise-cracking dialogue and zany characters—the Paramount release is cast with a line-up of top notch performers, who, along with the multi-talented March, are capable of turning a McGuire script into a side-splitting antic.

Co-starred with March and making his film debut is Joe E. Ross, the hilarious Sgt. Ritzik of the Phil Silvers' TV series, and featured are screen beauties Merry Anders and Jean Willes.

"The Happy Road To Be At Star Theatre Sunday, Monday And Tuesday

Seldom has a screen narrative been infused with the warm appeal, contagious humor and fast-paced excitement as that offered at the Star Theatre, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, in the new Kerry Production, "The Happy Road," released by M-G-M.

Filmed on locations in France, the picture was produced and directed by the multi-talented Gene Kelly, who also plays a top role in a cast featuring the attractive French actress, Barbara Laage, England's Michael Redgrave, and Bobby Clark and Brigitte Fossey, two youngsters who will steal their way into your heart.

The story concerns the adventures, punctuated by both suspense and laughs, of the eleven-year-old American boy, Danny, and the little French girl, Janine, who have run away from their Swiss school and have embarked on a perilous flight to Paris.

Children of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Favre, Jr., are seen by the Christmas tree at the home of their grand mother, Mrs. A. G. Favre, Sr., are Adele and Lauren.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,

To Frederick Hiles Earhart, whose addrress being 5942 Patton Street, New Orleans, La.;
Mrs. Sarah Earhart Aubert, General Delivery, Abita Springs, Louisiana;
Miss Ida Earhart, 3967 Louisiana Avenue Parkway, New Orleans, Louisiana;
Mrs. Lilly Earhart Twining, 320 Warrington Drive, New Orleans, Louisiana;
James Luther Earhart, c|o Earhart Pharmacy, Corner Washington Avenue and South Broad, New Orleans; Miss Valentine Adam Earhart, 1456 Jackson Avenue, New Orleans, La.;
Robert Hiles Earhart, c|o Earhart Pharmacy, Corner Washington Avenue and South Broad, New Orleans, Louisiana;
Peter Kissgen, 915 Aline Steet, New Orleans, Louisiana;
Miss Anna Whitehead, 703 Carondelet Street, New Orleans, Louisiana;
Joseph H. Berner, c|o Berner Pharmacy, 4700 Ferret Street, New Orleans, Louisiana;
John Wm. Conravey, 3033 Chippewa, New Orleans, Louisiana;
Any and All other persons having or claiming any legal or eqnitable interest in and to the following described property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi and more particularly described as follows:

All Block 85 as per plat of the Bay St. Louis Land and Improvement Company's Subdivision of Blocks 1 to 32 incl., and that part of Blocks 33, 34, 35, 47 and 53 lying within the Mary Parish Claim as shown hereon; all Block 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, 49; Lot 1 of 50; all of 52, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 61, 62; all 66, 67, 68; Lots 3 and 4 of 69; all 70 to 81, incl., Lot 1 of 82; Lot 2 of 84 and all 85 of the Plat of the First Addition to the City of Bay St. Louis and Waveland, Mississippi, filed the 24th day of April, 1897.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock at Harrison County Courthouse, Gulfport, Mississippi, on the 18th day of January at 10:00 o'clock A. M. A. D., 1958 to defend the suit No. 7834 in said Court of Cornelius J. Ladner.

The same being a suit to quiet and confirm complainant's title to said land above described wherein you are a defendant.

This 18th day of December, A. D. 1957.

(SEAL)

A. C. MITCHELL,
Chancery Clerk.

WAVELAND WANDERINGS

by

GEORGETTE B. HALL

Since this is the issue of the *Eagle that will get to you just* before the Christmas holidays rally begin, this reporter would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a happy holiday filled with all of the good and sincere things that this special time of the year brings with it. We thank you for all the nice things you've said about this column throughout the year and deeply appreciate your contributions to it.

Last year during the week between Christmas and New Year's, we drove through the streets—and sometimes paths—of Waveland admiring the beautiful outdoor and indoor decorations on residences. These were described in the column and many readers told us how much they enjoyed it. We'd like to do the same thing again this year, so if you know of someone who has a particularly outstanding Christmas decoration this year in Waveland, won't you tell us about it? We'd like to drive by and take a look, and then tell our readers.

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On Sunday, December 22 at 3 P. M. the children of the parish are welcomed to attend Christmas festivities at the Parish House in Waveland. Movies, refreshments, a real Santa, and gifts will be enjoyed. Holy Name members of St. Clare's Catholic Church are sponsors of this celebration. There is no charge to attend.

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Congratulations are in order for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noto, Jr. on the birth of their first child, a son, Frank III. Mrs. Noto is the *former Miss Myrna Straon of Gulfport.* Mr. Noto is the son of Mrs. Leona Yarborough of Waveland. The young couple are now making their home in Gulfport.

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Mr. "Dick" Mestayer, Sr., was taken early Tuesday morning to New Orleans where he is hospitalized. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jackson of New Orleans and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bordages visited Mr. Jackson's parents in Gulfport during the weekend.

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Mrs. Erin McCall Crawford and Mr. Frank Chiniche held "Open House" on Wednesday evening at 254 Sears Avenue honoring Miss Nadine Janper and Mr. Raymond Schindler who will be married the latter part of this month. Thirty guests enjoyed dancing and refreshments while wishing the young couple the best of luck and years of happiness.

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Mrs. Wyllie Lawhead of Monroe, La., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Addie Walker and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hicks at their Waveland home. She will remain with them throughout the holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ruppel, Sr., traveled by plane to Mexico City last week where they will visit their son, A. J. Ruppel, and his family. The Ruppels will remain there during the Christmas season.

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"Get well" wishes are sent to Mr. C. B. McCall who is hospitalized in Memorial Hospital in Gulfport.

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There aren't very many people who live in Waveland or who visit in Waveland for any length of time who haven't' met Eddie Lulei. Eddie, as he says, the first man out on the street in the morning and the last one at night. But whether night or morning, rainy or cold, foggy or hot, Eddie is always happy and has a cheerful wave or a "hello" for his friends. And as the years pass, he doesn't seem to change. Eddie is going to have a birthday on Christmas Day. Perhaps celebrating his birthday on the same day as the Christ Child's has given Eddie an inner goodness which is seen by so many of his friends. We thought it would be nice if everyone who knows Eddie would send him a Christmas-Birthday card in care of the Waveland Post Office. I, for one, know that it would make his day.

Mrs. Patterson, Jack Penalver's [illegible] buried Saturday in [illegible] pathy is extended to [illegible] and friends. Mrs. [illegible] well known in Waveland [illegible] been a resident for [illegible]

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our deepest appreciation and thanks to all those who extended sympathy and kindness at the time of the death of our beloved husband and father.

We wish to especially thank Father Mercier, Dr. A. P. Smith, the Knights of Columbus, Sisters of St. Joseph, Brothers of St. Stanislaus and St. Augustine and Fahey Funeral Home.

We also want to thank all for the beautiful floral arrangements and Masses.

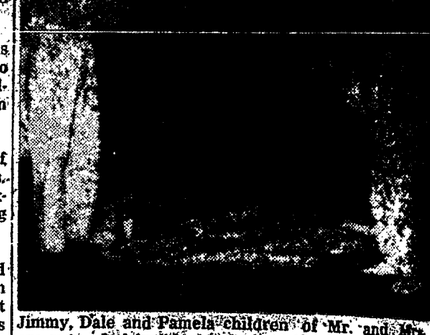
Mrs. A. E. Aime,
And Children.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for the kindness shown us in the sudden death of our beloved husband and father Jules A. "Dooly" Poolson.

Special thanks to the Breath Family, the Knights of Columbus, Fathers Mercier, Charles and Robinson, Fahey Funeral Home. Also special thanks for the many beautiful cards, flowers and Mass offerings.

Mrs. Jules A. Poolson
Myrna, Judy, Faye and Jules.



Jimmy, Dale and Pamela children of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] are seen admiring the lovely Christmas tree which was [illegible] of Santa.

Residents Attend Coffee And Tea [illegible]

A large group of [illegible] women were present in [illegible] tian last Wednesday [illegible] morning coffee and [illegible] which was given at [illegible] home of the late Dr. [illegible] Rafferty.

Sponsored by the [illegible] Committee of the Coast [illegible] Garden Clubs, the [illegible] drew guests from [illegible] tire coast.

Mrs. Waldo Otis, [illegible] the Council received [illegible] entrance of the charming living room of the [illegible]

Each room in the [illegible] decorated by affiliate Clubs in the Council, [illegible] age Chairmen and Club [illegible] received guests in [illegible] ed for their respective [illegible]

A pink Christmas [illegible] the living room with [illegible] cantha, pine, fir, [illegible] and all the traditional [illegible] ous materials and [illegible] ciated with the Yuletide [illegible] display in varying [illegible] rangements.

Delicious party fare [illegible] and served by women [illegible] Garden Clubs, and [illegible] men representing every [illegible] Council were seen pouring [illegible] and tea from gleaming [illegible] vice at the softly candle [illegible] oval shaped dining table.

LEGION THEATRE

NEW GULFPORT PHONE
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SUN. 12:45
OPENS WEEK DAYS

GET MORE OUT OF LIFE

GO TO A MOVIE!

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USED FURNITURE—Springs, mattresses, breakfast sets, chest of drawers, living room suites. Clearance prices. - McDONALD'S. HO-7-5442.

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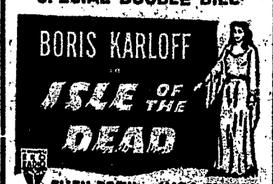
TOO BUSY to make your Christmas fudge? Let us do it. Delicious creamy, sanitary. Phone HO-7-5810. 12|19|1tchg

FRED'S HOMEMADE PIES — Any pie you desire. Mrs. Fred Lenard. Phone HO-7-4969. 12|19|1tchg

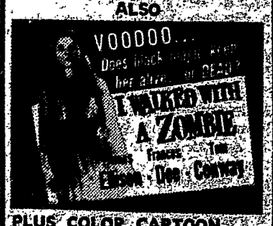
REFRIGERATORS: Special prices and trade allowances now offered during pre-inventory sale. McDONALD'S, 7-5442.

A. & G. THEATRE
BEACH BLVD. - PH. HO-7-5225
BAY ST. LOUIS

THURS. & FRI. - DEC. 19 & 20
SPECIAL DOUBLE BILL



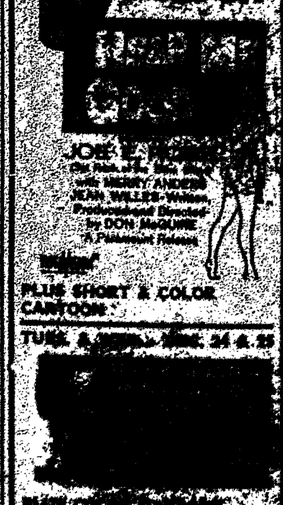
ELLEN DREW - MARC CRAMER
ALSO



PLUS COLOR CARTOON

SAT. - DEC. 21 ONLY
2 THRILLING HITS 2
RANDOLPH SCOTT
in
BADMAN'S TERRITORY
HIT NO. 2
T. COOPER in
PHANTOM FROM SPACE
PLUS SERIAL & SHORT

SUN. & MON. - DEC. 22 & 23



PLUS SHORT & COLOR CARTOON

TUES. & WED. - DEC. 24 & 25

STAR --Theatre
BAY ST. LOUIS
AIR CONDITIONED
DIAL HO-7-[illegible]

SATURDAY, DEC. [illegible]
DOUBLE FEATURE

PLUS CARTOON

SUN. - MON. - TUES.
DEC. 22 - 23 - 24

PLUS NEWS AND CARTOON

WED. - THURS. - FRI.
DEC. 25, 26, 27

PLUS CARTOON

Season's Greetings

FROM

Ramond Electric Co.

301 Main Street HO-7-4415

SPECIALS FOR CHRISTMAS

G E Automatic Washer $179.95

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Visit Our New

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Merry Christmas

L HOUSE INSTANT
OFFEE — LARGE 6 OZ. SIZE — $1.25

ANNER OLEO — POUND — 15c

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MAYONNAISE — QUART — 59c

MONTE - SLICED OR HALVES
PEACHES — NUMBER 2½ CAN — 29c

GARDEN FRESH
VEGETABLES

EXTR LARGE — EACH
Celery 19c

LARGE BUNCH FRESH
Parsley 10c

FRESH GREEN — BUNCH
Onions 10c

U. S. NO. 1 WHITE
POTATOES 10 POUNDS 39c

U. S. NO. 1 YELLOW
Onions 3 POUNDS 25c

ARGE ICEBERG
Lettuce 2 FOR 25c

WEET LOUISIANA
atsumas 2 POUNDS 25c

RESH OCEAN SPRAY — POUND
ranberries 29c

SUNSHINE CHRISTMAS MIX — 2 POUND BAG
Candy 56c

BUDDY-BOY - WHITE OR YELLOW
Popcorn 15c

PET Evaporated MILK
2 FOR 29c

SUGAR
10 POUNDS 89c

BORDEN'S NEW
ICE MILK
VANILLA - CHOCOLATE - STRAWBERRY
½ GALLON 75c

ORDER YOUR
Christmas Turkey
TO-DAY
WE FEATURE SWIFT'S BUTTERBALL AND ARMOUR BROAD-BREASTED TURKEYS

CLEAN CLEAR THROUGH
FAB 2 LARGE SIZE 59c

STOKLEY'S FINEST — 14 OUNCE
Catsup 19c

DEL MONTE EARLY GARDEN — 303 CAN
Peas 19c

THRIFTY-NOURISHING
PET INSTANT NONFAT DRY MILK
DELICIOUS!
MAKES 12 QTS. 97c
MAKES 4 QTS. 36c

GRADE "A" FANCY — WHOLE POUND
Fryers 29c

END CUT PORK — POUND
Chops 49c

SWIFT'S BROOKFIELD — POUND ROLL
Sausage 29c

LEAN GROUND
Beef 3 POUNDS 87c

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TO SERVE YOU BETTER
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[illegible] by the special session [illegible] Legislature [illegible] and approved [illegible] Governor J. P. Coleman enabling the Welfare Department to [use] funds it has on hand will bring a brighter Christmas to many needy families and individuals, Welfare Commissioner Holcomb said today.

Actually the legislation will enable the department—during the next six months—to raise Old Age Assistance Maintenance maximums to $32 per month. To do this will require the use of $130,000 of state funds which will be matched by $250,000 of federal money. The schedule for Aid to Dependent Children was changed to $25 for the first child; $15 for the second; and $10 for each additional child. Under the new schedule it is impossible that $300,000 of funds [illegible] will be matched by $[illegible] from the federal government. Under the present formula the average payment per child is only $9.50 per month. The revision in grants should increase this average to approximately $16 per child.

In Time For Christmas

To one of the most needy groups the Governor and the Legislature saw fit to give some long needed relief. In October 5,547 people, who were permanently and totally disabled, received assistance grants averaging only $19.25. Now the maintenance maximum will be $32. It is estimated that this increase will release for use $200,000 of presently available state funds, which will be matched by $800,000 in federal money.

Every effort is being made by the Welfare Department to have the December checks for the permanently and totally disabled reflect the increases, Holcomb said.

The total increase in monies dispensed to needy people during the next six months will be $3,350,000.

No New Appropriation

Commissioner Holcomb pointed out that it was not necessary to request an increase in any appropriation to carry out this porgram. Funds accumulated with the Department following a change in federal matching formula in October 1956 made the necessary state monies available.

Governor Coleman's decision to include welfare matters as special business and the overwhelming approval given by both Senate and House reflected the sincere interest by all groups in the social problems of our State, Holcomb said.

PURSER HEWITT NEW CHAIRMAN OF MISS. LIBRARY WEEK

Purser Hewitt, executive editor of The Clarion Ledger, today became chairman of the Mississippi Library Week Committee.

As committee chairman, Hewitt will spearhead Mississippi's part in a major national reading promotion drive.

"The drive has as its goal the re-establishment of reading in the daily life of every American," Hewitt said.

Focussing on the rewards of reading for fun, knowledge and advancement and on the services of libraries of all kinds, the drive will culminate in the first National Library Week, March 16-22.

"Now as never before, a united effort to increase reading is needed," Hewitt continued, "A recent survey shows that over 60% of U. S. adults had not read a single book last year."

PURSER HEWITT

"More reading is vital for an informed public in today's complex world—and for mental challenge and satisfying recreation in the coming age of leisure."

The Mississippi Library Week Committee, now being organized, will include prominent business and professional men and women throughout the state.

"This committee represents the widest community interests. Its activities to encourage reading—in homes, schools, churches, businesses and civic centers—can make our drive here one of the nation's most effective," Hewitt said.

Hewitt is well known throughout Mississippi and the South. He joined the staff of the Clarion Ledger in 1926 as city and sports reporter and has served successively as sports and city editor, news editor and managing editor.

Active in professional, civic and religious circles, Hewitt is a member of the national professional journalism fraternity, Sigma Delta Chi; former chairman of the Louisiana-Miss. Associated Press Association; member of the Associated Prass managaing Editors Assn. of the Nat. Conference of Editorial Writers and of the National Religious News Writers Association and on the legislative committee of the Southern Newspaper Publishers Association.

For two terms he was president of the Mississippi Baptist Convention, is a member of the excutive committee of the Southern Baptist Convention, chairman of the SBC advistory committee on public relations and trustee of William Carey College.

In accepting the position of chairman of the Mississippi Library Week Committee, Hewitt said, "I am honored to have been asked to take a part in encouraging the people of this state to read. The habit of reading is not only vital to a democratic society but is a source of enrichment to the individual himself. It is the people who read who have the most successful careers, for business and industry have never been able to find as many educated and intelligent men and women as they need."

"A person who reads," Hewitt added, "has in his hands one of the world's great sources of entertainment. A child can read under an apple tree, a traveller in an aireplane, a housewife shelling peas, an old man bound to the immobility of a hospital bed; and each of them will be released into a world of delight that could never have existed for them otherwise."

Charles Pickering

Nancy Landess

James Ford

State 4-H Junior Leaders Attend National 4-H Congress

STATE COLLEGE, MISS. — Nancy Landess of West Point, Clay County, and James Ford of Greenville, Washington County, were selected by Extension Service officials to receive all-expense trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, November 29-December 6, as winners of one phase of the 4-H Club Junior Leadership Program and Contest sponsored by United Gas in cooperation with the Agricultural Extension Service in Mississippi.

Ford was chosen alternate winner of the trip after the original winner, Charles Pickering, Taylorsville, was selected as a sectional and national 4-H Club winner. All three of the young leaders are members of a large delegation of Mississippi 4-H Club winners attending the Chicago meeting.

Both Ford and Miss Landess have achieved impressive records in many 4-H Club projects and activities.

Miss Landess, now a junior at Mississippi State College for Women, has participated in 4-H Club activities for 10 years and served as an officer for six years. During this time she has entered 239 exhibits, served on five judging teams and 12 demonstration teams.

James Ford, a past president of his local 4-H Club, has worked in 4-H activities for seven years. He has held 13 offices and served on 24 committees during this time and has also given 120 talks including 14 over the radio and 10 on television. In 1954 he was the winner of the State Public Speaking Contest.

Ford is now serving as President of the Greenville High School 4-H Club. He plans to continue developing his leadership ability through concentrated work with younger members on their various projects and records.

— UNDERWOOD BLACK TYPEWRITER RIBBONS NOW AT THE 'EAGLE" OFFICE

MERRY Christmas

JEROME'S DEPARTMENT STORE
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Merry Christmas

We're hoping that all our good friends whom we have had the pleasure to serve for so long will have the merriest Christmas ever.

TRAPANI'S KNOCK-KNOCK BAR

Merry Christmas

We're sending Santa to your house with our heartiest good wishes for Christmas cheer and the most precious gifts of all...happiness, health and love!

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Greetings

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LIKE A Magic Chef GAS RANGE

Cooking magic's at your fingertips in (and on) the *new Magic Chef!* The brilliant features of this mealtime magician will complement your cooking as no other range can! When you cook, when you bake, when you broil—you'll do it better on the One and Only *Magic Chef!*

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EDUCATIONAL GAMES — AT
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GREETINGS

The Season's warmest wishes!

May every holiday joy come your way!

MR. and MRS. CHAS. THOMAS
Fahey Drug Company

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May the spirit of the first Christmas shine brightly in your heart.

CITY - COUNTY MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Happy Holiday!

It's Christmas and what better reason to wish you the joys of this happy season.

We're all aglow with warm [illegible] and all for their merriest C[illegible] a happy holiday, brigh[illegible] lasting blessings of love and [illegible] good health, good luck and [illegible]

L L LAURENT KERGOSIEN REAL ESTATE

Season's G[reetings]

Our sincere thanks for your loyal patronage, and may this holiday season be [illegible] that you will always look back on with the greatest of [illegible]

LADNER'S SEAFOOD
508 Hancock - HO-7-5232

Holiday Greetings

Good [illegible] May the [illegible] re-echo in [illegible] Christmas, bringing joy to [illegible]

HIMELS AUTO PARTS
Ulman Ave.

Season's Greetings

To everyone [illegible] a very joyous Holiday Season [illegible] will long be treasured for its many happy [illegible]

WAVELAND LUMBER COMPANY
355 Nicholson Avenue
Manny Hubbard, Owner

To wish you a very Joyous Christmas

DELPH'S DEPARTMENT STORE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
HANCOCK

...hereby given that bids will be received by ... County Hospital ... for furnishing ... Hancock County ... following articles ... Hematocrit centrifuge ... modified and improved ... technique, with 24 capillary head and capable ... 10,000 RPM as per ... specifications for International Micro-hematocrit ... of the Clay-Adams ... Hematocrit model 30.

Number two: One serological bath, 110 volt 50|60 ... thermostatic temperature sensitive to plus|minus ... Cent. adjustable from ... temperature to 60 degrees ... 0 to 100 degree Cent. thermometer and clip, ... grounded cord, inside working chamber size ... than ten and five eights ... five and one eighth ... by five and five eights ... complete with two serological racks.

Number three: Binocular ... for one Spencer monocular microscope, serial 221002, ... piece and objective lenses.

Bids are to be filed with ... County Hospital Administrator Mr. Clement, at 128 ... Ave., Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi on or before 10:00 o'clock A. M., January ... 1958.

Prospective bidders may submit ... any or all items.

Board reserves the right ... any and all bids and ... any informality.

... under my hand this the ... of December, 1957 by authority of the Hancock County ... Board of Trustees.

PAT D. CLEMENT, MT.
Administrator.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
... OF MISSISSIPPI
... OF HANCOCK

... is hereby given that ... bids will be received by ... Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, for furnishing for the use of District ... the following, to-wit:

(1) Asphalt Kettle, complete ... hand pressure pump and ... capacity of 110 gallons or more ... mounted on pneumatic ...

... bids are to be filed with ... Clerk of this Board on or ... 10:00 o'clock A. M. Monday, ... 6th, 1958.

... Board reserves the right ... any and all bids.

... under my hand and official seal of office, this the 3rd ... December, A. D. 1957.

A. C. MITCHELL,
Clerk, Board of Supervisors
Hancock, County, Mississippi

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
... MISSISSIPPI
... HANCOCK

... bids will be received by ... Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, at its ... Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, ... 10:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, January 6th, 1958 for furnishing to Hancock County the following merchandise and materials for the period beginning at the date of acceptance of said bids until December 31, 1958.

No. 1. Gasoline, lubricating oil, diesel fuel, oil and greases, to be delivered as and when needed to County owned vehicles and at points designated by the Board, prospective bidders are cautioned to bid a stable price for the period on this merchandise.

No. 2. Tires and tubes of sizes including those for automotive, trucks, tractors, road grading machines and others, bids must be based on furnishing grade or first line tires and tubes and to be delivered to points designated in Hancock County by the Board.

No. 3. Grader Blades and supplies and parts for road machinery.

No. 4. Metal culverts, all sizes (prospective bidders for metal culverts must furnish certificate of analysis along with his bid on this item) delivered as and when needed to points designated to Hancock County by the Board of Supervisors.

No. 5. Concrete culverts both road and sewer delivered as and when needed to points designated to Hancock County by the Board of Supervisors.

No. 6. Gravel all sizes, sand, clay soil, dirt fill, reef shells, oyster shells, clam shells.

No. 7. Cement by the sack and ready mix concrete to meet Highway specificationsw by the cubic yard, also reinforcement steel both matting, half inch and ¾ inch round.

No. 8. Bridge timber all sizes, oak, pine, and cypress, both treated and untreated, also creosoted piling all sizes, wood preserver by the gallon and drum lots.

No. 9. Cold mix asphalt, fob Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, as to meet Mississippi Highway Specifications, also AC-15 Asphalt, MC-SE asphalt prime, also slag carload lots, fob Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.

No. 10. Complete mortuary service for paupers, Hancock County, (specify in bid type of casket and service to be rendered.)

No. 11. Precast bridge slabs, caps, rails, posts, filler blocks.

Said bids are to be filled with the Clerk of this Board.

All bids will specify type, size and grade of material or merchandise, bids may be made in whole or in part..

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and official seal of office, this the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1957.

(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL,
Clerk, Board of Supervisors
Hancock, County, Mississippi
12|12|4t.

FLEA-FLY CLASSIC LAST SUNDAY ENDS IN 27 TO 27 TIE

Twenty-seven all was the score of the tied game of the tiny teams of the Fleas and Flies which was played off Sunday afternoon on the gridiron of St. Stanislaus Stadium.

With a crowded cheering section and filled bleachers, the little fellows gave their all as they were applauded by spectators.

During half time of the game, Mrs. John Scianna, pres. of the Knights of Columbus Auxiliary, and Mr. Edward Murtagh, Grand Knight of the Pere LeDuc Council of Knights of Columbus, presented the Royal Court, and crowned the King and Queen of the game. The game was sponsored by the KCs in cooperation with St. Stanislaus School, with funds realized, to be used in filling Christmas baskets for the underprivileged of the county.

Susan Ryan and Cricket Bradford ruled for the day over a crowded court composed of the smaller members of the community.

In addition to the presentation of the Court, half time activities included a dance revue program staged by the talented pupils of the Jacqueline Hines Dancing School of Gulfport. These dance students, with their instructors have been most generous with their time and talents by coming to Bay St. Louis to perform on request. Their tumbling, acrobatic and jitter bug dance numbers have brought them national acclaim.

St. Stanislaus band was also on hand to provide music and keep the pep of the afternoon at a high peak.

Each year the game brings many hundreds of dollars which means Christmas will be made bright for families who otherwise would have a dreary day.

Holidays At Pearl River College Start December 20

Poplarville, Miss., Dec. 12 — Classes at Pearl River Junior College will be dismissed at noon on December 20 for the Christmas holidays and will reconvene on January 6 at 8:15 a. m., it was announced by President Garvin H. Johnston.

Mr. Johnston further stated the Business Office and the Registrar's Office will be open on Monday, December 30 for regular business and that the dormitories will open on Sunday January 5 for incoming student residents.

Dean R. L. Johnson states that pre-registration for second semester has been tentatively scheduled for Thursday, January 9 and that all students who plan to attend the second semester which will commence on January 20 are urged to register before this date.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, for lease of the oil, gas, and minerals in, on, or under the following described land situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Sections - 16-5-14
16-7-14
16-8-14
16-9-14
16-8-15
16-6-14
16-5-15
16-6-15
16-7-15
16-10-15
16-8-16
16-8-17
16-7-16
16-9-16

Also the various lieu lands
Section 27-5-14
17-5-15
19-5-15
22-5-15
26-5-15
29-5-15
30-5-15
24-6-16

Prospective bidders shall bid on any one or all 16th Sections or any portion or all of the lieu lands as advertised, extending the amount as bid on each section, also extending the amount bid on each portion of the lieu lands, said bids are to be made for a three (3) year term, alternate bids may be made on the same land for six (6) year terms.

Said bids are to be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Hancock County, on or before 10:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, January 6th, A. D. 1958.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

GIVEN under my hand and official seal of office, this the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1957.

(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL,
Clerk, Board of Supervisors
Hancock, County, Mississippi
12|12|4t.

CHANCERY SUMMONS
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

To A. A. ESTAPA a non-resident of the State of Mississippi whose last known residence and post office address was: A. A. ESTAPA, 1448 West Third Street, Apt. 109, Los Angeles, California.

C. F. HALL a non-resident of the State of Mississippi whose present residence and post office address is unknown after diligent search and inquiry but whose last known address was: C. F. HALL, General Delivery, Los Angeles, California.

Formerly the owners of the following described property to-wit:

Beginning at a point which is 3563 feet South of and 1480 feet West of the Corners of Sections 23-24-25 and 26, Tp. 8 S, Range 14 West; thence S 40 degrees 50 ft. E 552.5 feet to an iron stake; thence West 579 feet to an iron stake at a fence corner; thence S 29 degrees 28 feet W 495 feet to an iron stake on the North side of the Washington Avenue Road; thence N 56 dgrees W 30 feet to an iron stake; thence N 29 degrees 28 feet E 495 feet to an iron stake; thence North 398 feet to an iron stake thence S 88 degrees E 249.5 feet more or less, to the place of beginning, said land containing 4 and 1|10 acres, more or less, and being part of the J. Bouquie Claim, Secs. 25 and 26, Township 8 S, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of Hancock, in said the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Third Monday of February, A. D., 1958, to defend the suit No. 7814 in said Court of J. V. PERNICIARO, JR. and EMILY PERNICIARO.

The same being a suit to reform said Deed of Conveyance and confirm complainant's title to said land above described wherein you are a defendant.

This 8th day of November, A. D. 1957.

(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL,
Chancery Clerk.
Marjorie M. Mitchell, D. C.
11|14|4t.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Notice is hereby given to all banks in Hancock County and adjoining Counties that bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, from said banks on Monday, January 6th, 1958, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., for the privilege of keeping the County funds and funds collected by the Sheriff and Tax Collecter and other public funds of said Hancock County, for the year 1958.

GIVEN under my hand and official seal of office this the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1957.

(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL,
Clerk, Board of Supervisors
Hancock, County, Mississippi

CHANCERY SUMMONS
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

To A. S. Murphy, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose present post office address is General Delivery, Electa, Texas;

WILLIAM HENRY MURPHY, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose present post office address is Robinhood Drive, Memphis, Tennessee;

EDGAR M. MURPHY, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose present post office address is unknown after diligent search and inquiry;

MISS OLIE JOPES, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose present post office address is 12049 East Magnolia Street, El Monti, California;

MRS. MAUD MOGABGAB, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose present post office address is Georgian Apartments, 2233 St. Charles Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana;

MRS. DAISY HEADLEY, if alive and if dead her unknown heirs at law and devisees;

MISS PETE HARRIS; MISS HELEN HARRIS; MISS MOLLIE HARRIS; and THOMAS J. HARRIS; non-residents of the State of Mississippi. When last heard from they were all residents of New Orleans, Louisiana, whose present post office addresses are unknown after diligent search and inquiry, General Delivery, New Orleans, Louisiana;

DAN McQUEEN, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose present post office address is Pearl River Station, Louisiana;

DAN DAVIS, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose present post office address is Pearl River Station, Louisiana;

LLOYD DAVIS, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose present post office address is Pearl River Station, Louisiana;

ELIZA FLEMING MITCHELL, if alive and if dead her unknown heirs at law and devisees;

W. G. STANFORD, if alive and if dead his unknown heirs at law and devisees;

All persons having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in the land hereinafter described, their place of residence and post office addresses being unknown after diligent search and inquiry.

Lots One Hundred and Fourteen (114), One Hundred and Fifteen (115), One Hundred and Twenty-eight (128) and One Hundred and Twenty-nine (129) of Square 'Q" of the Town of Gainesville in Hancock County, Mississippi.

The above is as described in the Tax Collector's Deed from the Tax Collector of Hancock County to W. J. Fleming, Jr., dated August 11, 1921 and recorded in Book D-3, page 231 of the Record of Deeds of Hancock County, Mississippi.

Said land is further described in a deed from the Lampton Company to T. G. Roper dated July 18, 1950 and recorded in Book I-4, page 387 of the Deed Records of Hancock County, Mississippi.

You are summoned to appear before the Honorable William G. Hewes, the Judge of the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 24th day of January, A. D., 1958 at 10:00 o'clock, at the Courthouse in the City of Gulfport, said State to defend the suit No. 7821 in said Court of T. G. ROPER.

The same being a suit to quiet and confirm complainant's title to said land above described wherein you are a defendant.

This 25th day of November, A. D., 1957.

(SEAL) A. C. MITCHELL,
Chancery Clerk.
Marine E. Quintini, D. C.
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To BOBBIE JEAN SMITH, a non-resident citizen of Hancock County, Mississippi and cannot be found upon diligent search and inquiry but whose last known Post Office Address being Florien, Louisiana.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Third Monday of February, A. D., 1958, to defend the suit No. 7819 in said Court of DELL H. SMITH, wherein you are a defendant.

This 21st day of November, A. D. 1957.

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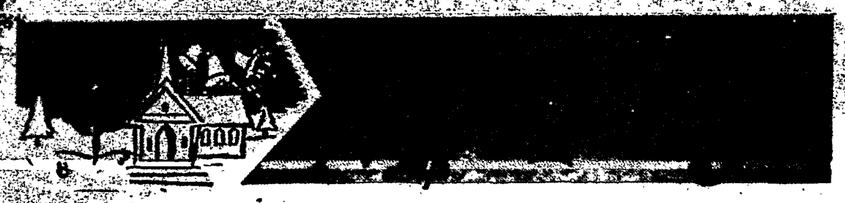

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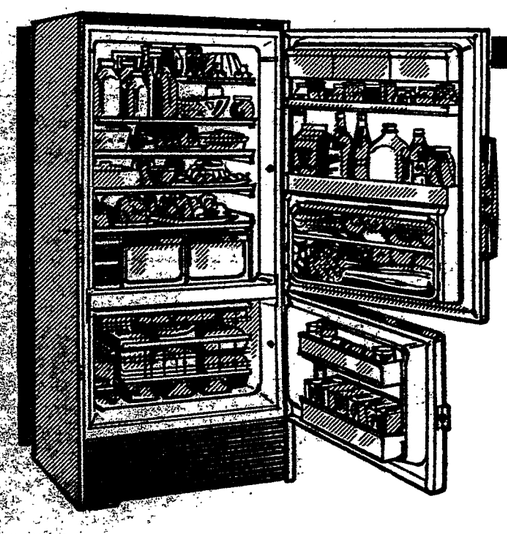

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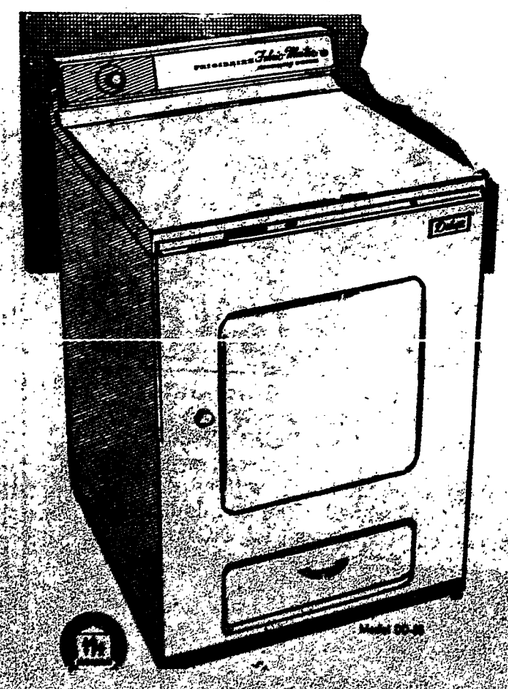

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Wdnesday	1:51 AM	12:10 AM
Thursda y	2:18 AM	12:09 AM

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Bad winds effected fishing this past weekend. The water was good and tides normal but the fish just wouldn't cooperate. However, green trout and perch were hitting fairly good.

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"Pops" Trasher, Harold Bates and yours truly were trying salt water fishing Sunday. One rat red was the catch. Pops thinks he was the "jinx" but he's all wet! Better luck next time.

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Glad to see Joe Cospelich home after being in the hospital for eye treatment. Good luck, Joe!

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Sorry to hear of the death of our good friend and sportsman, Gus Aime. Gus was a good guy and a good sport.

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College boys will be home for the holidays soon. Fishing, golf, hunting and other sports will be in the limelight. Among them will be *Billy Scarborough, the golfer.* We made a mistake last week when we said Billy had a "7" for nine holes, it was a "37." These linotype machines do funny things especially during the Xmas rush!

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Welcome home Eddie Blaize. Eddie is home to stay we understand after being away in the hospital for quite a while. Take it easy, Eddie.

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Another out after a seige of illness is Arthur Christy. He told me he thinks he will live after undergoing a real check-up. See you soon Arthur!

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"Wop" Glover was over for the past weekend. Welcome back Wop!

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Rabbit hunters are reporting getting a few. The same goes for doves. Not much on ducks. Saw a flock of about 500 geese pass over Saturday afternoon. Where they went nobody knows.

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Those kids in the Flea-Fly game had a great time Sunday. They should be congratulated as well as those who sponsored this worthy couse. "Fip" Johnson did a good job as chairman of the affair.

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John Trasher should be happy over his new speed boat and "25" outboard motor. granddad went Grandad is a

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Those crazy are on the one the other swamped our boat your step, fellow the other side of you pass people

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Glad to note that Warden, Randolph out again after while.

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Merry Christmas sports! Kantcha Ket

Bubby, Michael and Neil, Jr., are seen inspecting which had just been decorated by their parents, Nelius Favre, Sr. at their Main St. home.

Merry Christmas

Be of good cheer and have a happy holiday full of the wonderful things that come each year at Christmas.

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...les Johnson, pas... ...iscopal Church ...Baptist Hospital

...early part of this week for observation and treatment. Reverend Johnson was unable to conduct Sunday services at his church as he was confined to bed at his home.

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Mrs. [illegible] Mueller and her daughter Miss Gayle Parmalee, former residents now making their home in New Orleans, were weekend guests of Mrs. Mueller's sister, Mrs. Val Flannigan and Mr. Flannigan at their Dunbar Avenue home.

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Mr. C. D. Blair returned last Thursday from a trip to Chicago and other middle west cities, where he had gone on business for his firm.

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Friends of Larry Scharff will be interested to learn that he and a school mate will spend the holiday season touring Italy and Spain by motor. Larry is attending the College of London, which he entered last September. Recently Larry was the week-end guest of another Coast scholar, Shelby Tucker, who is enrolled in Oxford.

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Sgt. A. G. Favre who has been stationed at Fort Banning, Ga., has been transferred to Puerto Rico. and will leave sometime in Jan. Mrs. Favre and the four children will stay in Bay St. Louis with Mr. Favre's mother, Mrs. A. G. Favre Sr., and will remain until Sgt. Favre finds suitable accommodations and can move his family to the island.

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Charles Ferry of Waveland, Vice-President and Secty.-Treasurer of the Jefferson Lake Sulphur Co., returned to the sunny Gulf Coast after spending a shivering week in the extreme cold of the Metropolis on a business trip.

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Roger Heitmann and Roy Craft who spent last week in Miami, Fla. with Mr. Heitzmann's son, Roger, Jr., were happy to return to the comforts of their heated homes in Bay St. Louis. While in the land of sunshine, the temperatures plunged down into the 30's, and south Florida residents are not equipped with heating systems.

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Mrs. Thelma Morris of New Orleans is spending time visiting with her sister Mrs. Katherine Wilson.

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Mrs. Wesley W. James is in Alabama with her father who is critically ill.

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Mrs. A. I. Picard had as house guests this past weekend at her beautiful North Beach Boulevard home, Congressman and Mrs. Russell W. Keeney from Illinois, who flew down from Chicago.

They were much impressed with the beauty of the Mississippi Gulf Coast.

City Decorates For Yuletide Season

It's worth a ride on Necaise to see the attractive Yule decorations on the doorway, picture window and front porch of the Jos. Loiacano home.

The beautiful large home has one of the most attractive seasonal displays we have yet encountered on our rides through the city.

Using gaily colored cuts outs, glittering cards and colored lighting, the decorations are attractive during both day and night hours. Each year the Loiacanos decorate their home, in addition to stringing colored lights over the street for about a two block area on Necaise Avenue from Main past St. John Street.

Mr. Loiacano, a well known merchant of Bay St. Louis, with his wife Doris have always been interested civicly in Bay St. Louis. They own considerable improved real estate, which they keep in excellent condition, an asset to any commuunity, and have been generous through the years by contributing to all causes for the benefit of Bay St. Louis and Hancock County.

It was still a little early for too many homes to be decorated with gay Christmas scenes, but in journeying about we did encounter some other very attractive outdoor displays. Across from the Loiacano home on Necaise on the freshly painted rooftop of the open car port of the Lucien Kidd home was Jolly Santa himself just getting ready to take off in his sled with flying reindeer startin the leap into the blue sky. The gay old gent in his red suit with white trim and white whiskers, brought a cheery bon voyage as he seemed ready to sprint his horned steeds to his next port of call in bringing Christmas Cheer.

Most alluring is the cute sign wishing seasons greetings to one and all outside the Merchants Bank and Trust Company The large holly wreath with its huge red bow surrounds two tiny people apparently just ready to burst into gay Christmas Carols.

Along the beach south and up from the massive iron gates and fence of the E. M. Brignac home, Santa beat us on the run, and was just getting ready to swoop down from the blue to leave a portion from his pack for the good people inside. Santa laughs and winks at us as we gaze in awe and consternation, the size and shape of his reindeer have somewhat changed since we saw him just a few minutes before at the Kidd home, but the merry old gent again waves his hand, and we go on, knowing whatever size or shape, Santa and his reindeer take they still are the Spirit of Christmas, and wherever people have taken the pains and patience to decorate their homes and yards for the pleasure of other townsfolk then the spirit of Christmas and what it stands for is prevalent and a Merry Christmas will be the joy of all.

We also feel a warm glow as we drive and see the winking colored lights throwing out bright beams against the darkened winter night skies. In all of the business sections of the city, these bright bulbs of color dance gaily, and even the austere and dignified Courthouse and City Hall buildings take on a golden glow, with brilliant hued globes throwing iridescent beauty on Christmas Greetings and large poster cut outs. The City and County join with their people to wish a Happy Holiday Season to all.

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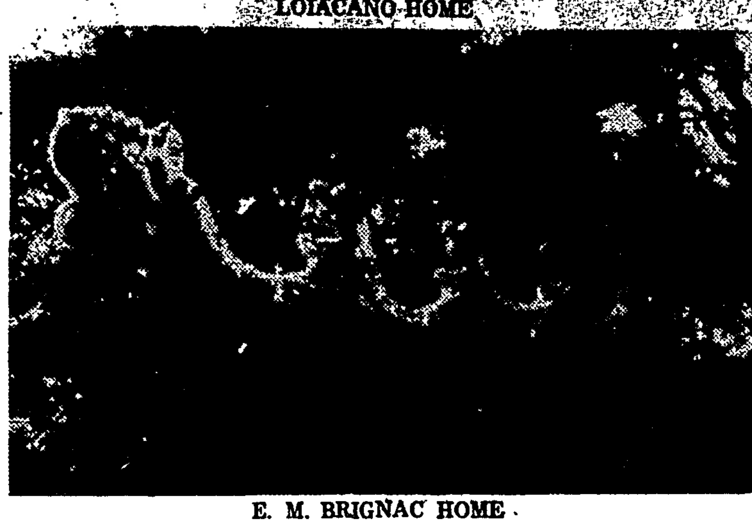
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Kiln Boys Win St. Martin Tournament

In capturing the trophy at St. Martin's Invitational Tournament, Dec. 14, 1957, Kiln set a record for Gulf Coast basketball teams—it won its 20th straight game. Kiln knocked off St. Martin's 54-37 for the title.

To gain the tourney crown, Kiln downed Wade 65-54, took Agricola 60-47 and then defeated St. Martin, running up a point total of 199 in those three games. In the finals Kiln went ahead 12-8 and stayed in front for the remainder of the game.' The quarter scores were 24-12 and 37-23. Leading the Kiln were Douglas Necaise with 16 points and Leland Mitchell with 14.

Leland Martin was named to the boy's tournament all star team and Douglas Necaise made the honorary mention squad.

This is the Wildcats' third trophy for this season. They were also winners in the invitational tournamnts at Home Vocational and Savannah.

Coach W. M. Simmons is high in praise of his boys. He stated, "This is a young and inexperienced team, but I have never had the pleasure of working with a cleaner, more-interested and harder working group of boys. They have far exceeded my expectations at the beginning of this season.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Paula Jenks Held

Services were held Friday, Dec. 13, at 1:45 p. m. from Fahey Funeral Home followed by religious services from Christ Episcopal Church for Mrs. Paula Von Gohren Jenks, widow of the late W. W. Jenks, of Mobile, Ala., and mother of John M. Jenks, of New Orleans, La. Interment in Cedar Rest Cemetery.

Mrs. Jenks who died in Mercy Hospital, New Orleans, Thursday, Dec. 12 at 12:20 p. m. was one of Bay St. Louis' long standing prominent matrons. A founder of the Episcopal Church when it was first established in Cedar Point, and a worker in the church until shortly before her death.

After the death of her husband, she made her home with her sister the late Mrs. Walter Gex, Sr., and her nieces Misses Ethel and Stella Gex. She was the aunt of Lucien M. and Walter Gex, Jr., and of the late Mrs. Wena Gex Philips. Also survived by grandchildren, great grandchildren, and great nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Katherine Burg Dies At Her Home In Waveland, December 12

Mrs. Katherine R. Burg, 82 years of age, a resident for the past forty years of Waveland, died at her home 178 Sobral Avenue, Thursday, December 12, at 12:20 a. m. She is survived by her husband J. J. Burg.

Funeral services were held in New Orleans from Jacob Schoen and Sons, Friday, Dec. 13, with interment in St. Vincent de Paul Cemetery, motor transportation by Fahey Funeral Home.

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Lb. **39c**

MAGNOLIA PURE PORK
SAUSAGE 1 lb. roll **37c**

MAGNOLIA GRADE A
BACON sliced . . lb. **49c**

JUNGLE QUEEN—ALL MEAT
Frankfurters . Lb. ..... **47¢**

BORDEN'S—28-Oz. JAR
Mince Meat .... **55¢**

OXYDOL . . . Large Pkg. .... **35¢**

DASH .... Pkg. .... **39¢**

DUZ ..... Large Pkg. .... **35¢**

BLUE DUZ . . Large Pkg. .... **35¢**

IVORY FLAKES Large Pkg. .... **34¢**

IVORY SNOW Large Pkg. .... **35¢**

Personal Ivory 3 For **19¢**

Regular Size
Camay Soap 3 For **29¢**

LAVA SOAP : . . . **11¢**

SPIC & SPAN . . . **27¢**

COMET—Economy Size
CLEANSER . . 2 For **35¢**

RITZ
Crackers ..... 1-lb. pkg. 37c

SUNSHINE
Graham Crackers ... 1-lb. box 36c

WHITE GOLD
SUGAR
10 Lbs. **89c**

MAXWELL HOUSE INSTANT COFFEE LARGE 6-OZ. JAR **$1.19**

PET EVAPORATED **MILK**
2 FOR **29c**

CAMAY ..... Bath Size **14c**

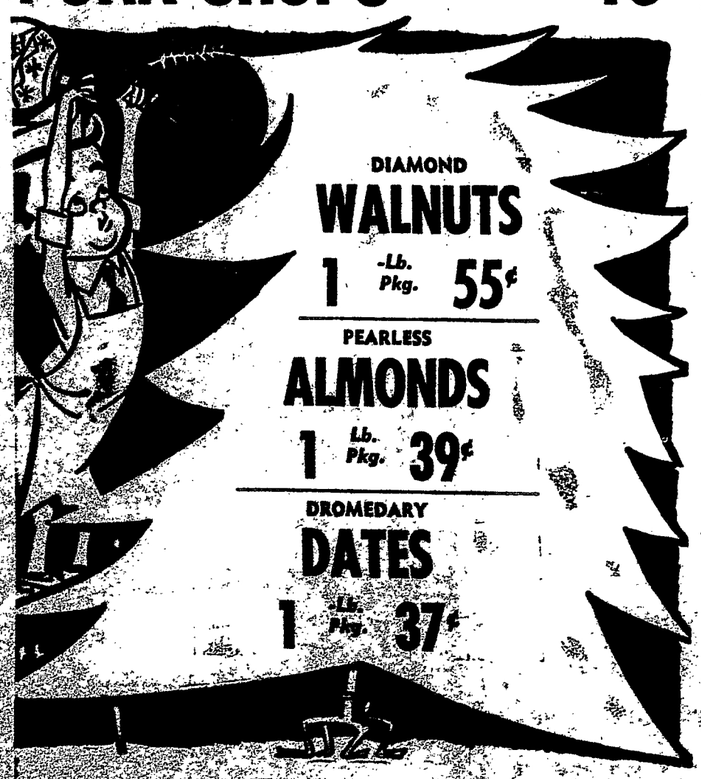
DREFT
lg. 34c

Children's Swivel TV Chairs
$4.95

LIPTON TEA
THE BRISK TEA
lb. 42c

LIPTON TEA BAGS
THE BRISK TEA
Qt. Size 47c

JITNEY JUNGLE
BREAD King Size 2 For **35¢**



DIAMOND
WALNUTS
1 Lb. Pkg. **55¢**

PEARLESS
ALMONDS
1 Lb. Pkg. **39¢**

DROMEDARY
DATES
1 Lb. Pkg. **37¢**

SIMPLE SIMON—Frozen 24-Oz.
PUMPKIN PIE ..... **55¢**

SIMPLE SIMON—Frozen 24-Oz.
MINCE MEAT PIE ..... **59¢**

LARGE EXTRA FANCY DELICIOUS
APPLES
2 POUNDS **25c**

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WISH YOU A VERY